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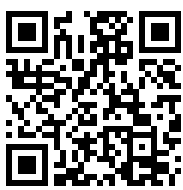

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INTRODUCTORY NOTE.

With the present issue, the arrangement of the Annual Report follows, in general, that of the reports published before the War, and it will be found that most of the Statistical Tables formerly included are contained in the present volume.

In making use of the figures in Parts I–VIII of the Statistical Section of the book it is desirable to remember that the Regimental Strength only of the Army is included, except in the Table on page 18 and the Courts Martial Tables on pages 77–83. Consequently the figures do not include men serving on the Staff, and in sundry miscellaneous Establishments such as Military Detention Barracks, Schools of Instruction, &c., nor do they include the Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force. The Tables, however, do include those members of the old Territorial Force who, from sickness or other causes, have not been demobilized.

By Command of the Army Council.

H. J. Creedy

THE WAR OFFICE.
March, 1922.

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REGULAR ARMY.

Annual Report on Recruiting.

WAR OFFICE,
December, 1920.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL TO THE FORCES,

I have the honour to submit the Annual Report on Recruiting for the recruiting year ending 25th September, 1920, together with some prefatory remarks, from a recruiting point of view, on the period from the Armistice (11th November, 1918) to 30th September, 1919. Although this latter period has been dealt with in the General Annual Reports on the British Army for the period 1st October, 1913, to 30th September, 1919 [Cmd. 1193], yet, as the effects of decisions then taken are still being felt, it is desirable to recall to mind what happened after the Armistice.

It will be convenient to sub-divide the Report—the first part dealing with the period from the Armistice to 30th September, 1919, and the second part with the period from 1st October, 1919, to *25th September, 1920.

I.—PERIOD FROM THE ARMISTICE TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1919.

1. *Transition period from War to Peace.*—Before entering on any description of the successive steps adopted in the post-war recruiting work it is desirable to refer to the transition phase between War and Peace as affecting the recruiting situation.

From March, 1916, until the Armistice practically the whole of the recruiting for the Army was effected by means of the Military Service Acts. Provided they held no form of exemption, all men in Great Britain amenable for service under these Acts were called up as and when they were required, and handed over to the Naval, Military or Air Force Authorities according to the respective requirements of those services. Until 30th September, 1917, the men were called up by the War Office and thereafter by the Ministry of National Service.

As regards the Army, the men were held to serve on a "Duration of War" engagement with the very few exceptions of those who wished to make the Army their profession and who were enlisted on a normal engagement. These exceptions during the whole of 1918 numbered only 13,932; whereas in normal times prior to the War, *e.g.*, during the recruiting year 1912–13, such enlistments amounted to 28,898.

2. *Recruiting by Ministry of National Service.*—From the Armistice until 15th January, 1919, the Ministry of National Service recruited and

* The date 25th September, represents the last Saturday in the recruiting year; for purposes of Office records and returns, results are tabulated weekly.

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handed over to the Military Authorities men between 18 and 25 years of age who presented themselves voluntarily for enlistment and who were willing to be attested for the full period of 12 years Army Service to fill vacancies in the Regular Establishment. The number of recruits so enlisted during this period was 1,139.

3. *Re-transfer to the War Office of responsibility for Recruiting for the Army.*—On 15th January, 1919, the War Office resumed responsibility for recruiting. Meanwhile, however, the urgent need for retaining, if possible, a large number of the men then serving with the Colours had been foreseen, and an Army Order was published on 10th December, 1918, authorising the re-enlistment of serving soldiers for periods of approximately 2, 3 or 4 years with Bounties of £20, £40 and £50 respectively. Re-enlistments which took place as a result of this Army Order and subsequent similar instructions amounted to 74,930. As these men were enlisted while still serving, they have never been shown in the ordinary Recruiting Returns and are further excluded from the figures given in this Report.

4. *Resumption of Recruiting on Pre-War Lines.*—On 1st April, 1919, a Recruiting Campaign throughout the United Kingdom was inaugurated by the War Office. This campaign was successful to a degree unprecedented in Peace, and led to the enlistment of no less than 126,693 men by 30th September, 1919. This remarkable figure, obtained in 8½ months, greatly surpasses the average yearly in-take before the War, which usually amounted to about 30,000 men for the Regular Army.

It must be remembered, however, that a large proportion of the recruits who thus joined after the war, were ex-soldiers who had acquired a habit of soldiering. In many cases, therefore, the acceptance of a further period of service with the Colours coincided with the line of least resistance; and also a short engagement was often entered into as a temporary expedient in order to bridge a period of unsettlement in the industrial world. Moreover, there were two other important factors which accounted for this boom in recruiting: firstly, there was an opportunity of seeing some active service in Russia with the Russian Relief Force (an expedition for which 5,344 men were finally approved), and, secondly, the work in France in connection with Graves Registration offered employment to a large number of unskilled labourers under very favourable conditions. In the latter case, the usual age limit was waived and extra pay was given whilst actually employed on exhumation duties. 15,445 men were enlisted, under Army Order 196 of 1919, for these exhumation duties; a few of the men, however, were discharged shortly after enlistment as unsuitable.

On the other hand, it is worthy of note that during the 10½ months under review, a total of 63,265 men were enlisted on normal engagements, or approximately 50 per cent. of the aggregate number of enlistments. This result, in itself, was a remarkable response from a Nation which had just emerged from a costly and bitter struggle exceeding four years in duration.

II.—Period from 1st October, 1919, to 25th September, 1920.

5. *Summary of Results.*—The total number of enlistments and re-enlistments during the recruiting year from 1st October, 1919, to 25th September, 1920, was 71,447. The results attained in each military command are shown in the following Table, in which the yield of recruits for each 100,000 male population of the Command is given. This affords the best criterion for estimating the results of the comparative efforts made by each Command.

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Command.	Scottish Command.	Western Command.	Northern Command.	Southern Command.	Eastern Command.	London Area.	Irish Command.	Channel Islands.	Total.
Male population (Census, 1911)	2,308,839	4,332,749	4,769,866	2,886,597	3,275,688	2,204,645	2,192,048	46,229	22,016,661
Recruits finally approved	5,717	10,386	14,305	10,332	10,881	13,024	6,578	224	71,447
Number of Recruits approved for each 100,000 male population	248	240	300	358	332	591	300	487	325

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Of these, 45,782 were normal engagements, leaving a balance of 25,665 men enlisted for short periods. Regarding the latter category, it would be a great mistake to underrate the importance of these short-period soldiers as a factor in the general scheme of rebuilding the post-war Army. It is true that, in comparison with men serving for normal periods, they do not represent an acquisition of relatively equal value owing to the absence of any Reserve obligation in their engagement and, moreover, they are unsuited for drafting to India. Nevertheless, the presence in the Army of these men (most of whom were already trained soldiers on enlistment) represents material of the utmost utility during the transitional period which is still being experienced. The early termination of their service, which is due to take place at non-uniform dates, is also an advantage because, if all recruits enlisted since the War were to leave the Colours in a regular outflow at a precisely uniform interval from the time of their enlistment, there would arise from about 1926 onwards a reproduction of the bed-rock conditions which have recently obtained, and it would again be necessary to rebuild the Army *de novo* from a negligible nucleus. Furthermore, provision has been made for men on short engagement to extend their service to normal periods, and it is anticipated that a fair proportion will avail themselves of this permission.

It has been a subject of speculation as to whether the re-enlistment of ex-soldiers for short periods has affected recruiting for normal engagements. It would appear on the whole that the in-take for the longer periods of service has not been materially prejudiced, because many men have taken advantage of the short periods merely to tide over a difficult time of transition in civil life and would not have committed themselves to a long engagement. It is true that the age limits, although not identical, do over-lap to a considerable extent; but the number of men lost for the longer periods of service on this account is thought to be few and is more than counter-balanced by the asset accruing from the large number of enlistments for short engagements.

It is of particular interest to examine the figure 45,782, representing the number of enlistments on a normal engagement. In comparing this number with past results, it is found on the one hand, that the average annual in-take before the War was slightly less than 30,000, but, on the other hand, a total of 63,265 were enlisted during the broken period of 10½ months following the Armistice. These are two very conflicting standpoints from which to view the results of the first complete recruiting year after the War; but, taken as a whole, the figure 45,782 is regarded as satisfactory, particularly in view of the fact that nearly 26,000 men were taken simultaneously for short periods. It is not surprising that the year 1919 should have produced some abnormal results, and that the boom which succeeded the Armistice should have been followed by a period of re-action: the truest standard to adopt for purposes of comparison is, therefore, considered to be the average pre-War result and not the inflated figure for the 10½ months preceding the year now under review.

It should be mentioned, however, that the pre-War numbers were enlisted in addition to men accepted for the Special Reserve, whereas recruiting for that branch of the Forces has not yet re-commenced, so that the field has been clear for Regular Army enlistments. Further, the future has been mortgaged to some extent by the enlistment of 3,085 lads of only 17 years of age. These youths have been accepted for an engagement of nine years' with the Colours and three years' in the Reserve. The object of thus taking a proportion of recruits under the age of 18 years

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was to secure good material who otherwise, during the non-existence of the Special Reserve, might have adopted a civil career rather than wait until they reached the age normally laid down for enlistment in the Regular Army. These enlistments were confined to certain Corps and Regiments which were in pressing need of men to complete the establishments.

6. *Quality of Recruits Enlisted.*—It will be generally agreed that the strict rationing of food supplies during the late War has retarded the development of growing lads, and that the taking away, for Military or other service, numerous qualified teachers from the schools throughout Great Britain, has reflected adversely upon the general education and character of the youth of the country. Another factor, the importance of which should not be overlooked in considering the physique of our present-day recruit, is that a very large number of boys who were 10 or 12 years old in 1914 became absorbed into the Munition industries during the course of the War. Owing to the high wages they received and to the absence of their fathers on service, these lads were subject to less parental control, and in many instances acquired habits prejudicial to their physical and moral development.

The following Table shows the number of recruits who were rejected for physical reasons during the year ending 25th September, 1920 :—

Commands.	Offered Services.	Rejected for Physical Reasons by		Percentage of		
		Medical Officers.	Recruiters, Recruiting Officers, and Approving Officers.	B to A.	C to A.	B & C to A.
	A.	B.	C.			
Scottish	11,186	3,172	1,020	28·3	9·1	37·5
Western	22,038	6,765	3,085	30·7	14·0	44·7
Northern	21,953	3,141	2,188	14·3	9·9	24·3
Southern	16,410	3,732	1,190	22·8	7·3	30·1
Eastern	15,897	3,095	1,164	19·5	7·3	26·8
Irish	10,435	2,106	735	20·2	7·0	27·2
London Area	21,623	6,149	356	28·4	1·6	30·1
Channel Isles	284	50	1	17·6	·3	17·9
Total	119,826	28,210	9,739	23·6	8·1	31·7

It is satisfactory to be able to report that having taken into consideration the points mentioned above, the standard of recruits who have been accepted for enlistment or re-enlistment has, on the whole, been good.

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At the same time it must not be overlooked that the tactical conditions which govern the use in battle of the fighting arms in modern war impose on the Recruiting Branch of the Army the task of providing for those arms a far higher percentage than formerly of men of the mental and moral calibre which alone fit them to become non-commissioned officers. In the case of the Infantry, for example, every battalion now requires 64 fire unit commanders as against 32 under the conditions prevailing before the War. Each of these non-commissioned officers must be capable, not only of directing and controlling musketry fire, but he must also have the intelligence and capacity to apply to the best advantage every weapon which the Infantry soldier uses to break down the enemy's resistance. Recruits of a higher standard of intelligence are, therefore, required, and in at least double the numbers required before the War, to provide the Army with the fire unit commanders modern fighting conditions postulate.

Only in the case of the Royal Regiment of Artillery have recruits been put to any special educational test before enlistment; this test has been imposed in order to check the very large flow of recruits to that Branch of the Service, which otherwise would have resulted in an excess above the authorised establishments. This examination has had the desired effect, and during the six months the test was in operation, the percentage of recruits so tested who failed to reach the educational standard required varied from 30 per cent. to 60 per cent. in the majority of recruiting areas in the United Kingdom. The percentage of failures has been most marked in Ireland, where it varies from 60 per cent. to 100 per cent. in the different recruiting areas in that country.

7. *Enlistment of Married Men.*—The Army Orders which authorised the re-enlistment of ex-soldiers for one, two, three or four years, also provided originally for the grant of Separation Allowance to their wives and families, and this concession tended to draw into the Army men who would, in other circumstances, have been entirely lost to the Service, since married men, except in very exceptional circumstances, have never been enlisted on a normal engagement. Latterly, however, it has been judged expedient to curtail considerably the enlistment of married men, except in certain special cases, even for short periods and notably in the case of Infantry.

The new Regulations introducing marriage allowance as announced in Army Order 357 of 1920 should act on the whole as an incentive to recruiting, since the prospect of the additional allowances on attaining the age of 26 to a man marrying after enlistment is calculated to attract an intending recruit who means to make his career in the Army. On the other hand, married men who have not yet attained the age of 26 are debarred from enlistment or re-enlistment.

8. *Attitude of the Civilian Community.*—Reports from Commands concerning the opinion prevailing in non-military circles on the Army and its affairs in general, are not, on the whole, of an enthusiastic nature. Not that the Recruiting Staff have had to complain of the lack of assistance or sympathy in their movements outside Military circles; it is rather that the claims of the Territorial Regiments have not been brought home to the civil community quite sufficiently by the local authorities and the link which should exist between the Territorial (Regular) Regiments and the surrounding populations has not always been kept rivetted to the desired degree of firmness.

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9. *Difficulty of obtaining skilled labour.*—Although Recruiting has held its own favourably in competition with the unskilled labour market, an increasing difficulty is experienced in obtaining skilled tradesmen for the Army in competition with private employers in the technical labour market of the Nation.

The evolution of the art of war since August, 1914, has revolutionised the character of a modern Army. The improvement of the internal combustion engine, which made possible the remarkable development of mechanical traction and its ever-increasing application to every phase of the operations and maintenance of Armies, has had the direct consequence of increasing the proportion of the rank and file of an Army which must now and in the future be skilled mechanics. The rapid development of communication by wireless, by telegraph and by telephone has greatly increased the demand of the Army for skilled personnel of the electrical trades. The whole tendency of these modern developments is to force the Army to an ever-increasing degree into competition with private employers and public corporations for the skilled personnel available in the technical labour market of the Nation. While the needs of the Army for technical personnel have grown out of all proportion to its needs for that class of man in 1914, the difficulty of meeting its demands has been intensified by the fact that a development has been taking place in the industrial life of the Nation parallel to that which has characterised the evolution of modern Armies. Almost every branch of trade and industry is now utilising mechanical transport in some shape or form to a degree unthought of before the War. It must not be forgotten that in addition to the private employer a new and important factor has been imparted into the problem by the creation of the Royal Air Force and its demands for skilled personnel of the same type as required in the Army. Consequently, there exists a condition of stringency in the market for skilled labour which prejudices the efforts of the Recruiting Branch in obtaining skilled tradesmen for the Army. This competition between the private employer and the Army is likely to diminish materially in six years' time when the boys who have been enlisted for training as artificers, etc., become efficient at their trades and the increased output of the training establishments of the Army has approximated towards the needs of the Forces. In the meantime, however, a large deficiency in skilled men has to be met by recruiting in the skilled labour market.

During the past year and the preceding year, the demands for Mechanical Transport personnel have been abnormal owing to the large amount of clearing-up work to be done as a result of the War and to operations in various theatres due to the conditions of unrest prevailing throughout the world.

10. *Assistance rendered to the Royal Irish Constabulary.*—Early in June, 1920, the co-operation of the Army recruiting machinery was sought in connection with a decision to increase the numbers of the Royal Irish Constabulary by enlisting ex-soldiers in Great Britain. As only a small staff could be spared by the Royal Irish Constabulary for the purpose of obtaining recruits outside Ireland, it was necessary to appoint representatives from other sources at places all over Great Britain where applicants could report and be examined prior to their despatch to a few Royal Irish Constabulary Centres for final approval.

The Army Recruiting Offices, being admirably adapted to the purpose of receiving and adjudging candidates in the first instance, naturally suggested themselves as very suitable ; accordingly a co-operative recruiting effort came into existence from 10th June, 1920. The campaign

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proved a success from the outset and up to 25th September, a total of 873 recruits were finally approved for the Royal Irish Constabulary. Of these, 768 were enrolled as Constables, while 63 were accepted as trained Motor Drivers and 42 as Mechanics.

Suitable applicants are still presenting themselves in considerable numbers and it is evident that the supply is by no means yet exhausted. The standards as to physique, education and character have been maintained at a high level and a first-rate body of men has been obtained. Not a little of the success has been due to the excellent measures taken by means of posters and newspaper advertisements to bring the wants of the Royal Irish Constabulary to the notice of the public; the cost of this publicity is not being borne by Army Funds, but by the Royal Irish Constabulary Authorities, who are also responsible for the other necessary expenses such as recruiting rewards.

Whilst it is a source of satisfaction to observe the success of the joint endeavours to re-inforce the Royal Irish Constabulary, yet it must be placed on record that the Army has suffered indirectly by the loss of a certain number of potential recruits. It is true that the conditions as to salary, etc., of the police have been more attractive than those offered to the soldier and also that it does not follow that all the Royal Irish Constabulary recruits would have proved to be eligible for re-enlistment in the Army; and for these reasons it cannot be claimed that the Army has been deprived, man by man, of the Royal Irish Constabulary recruits, but nevertheless, there is little doubt that a proportion of the present Royal Irish Constabulary Constables would have joined the Army if they had not been offered superior counter-attractions. Moreover, the mere fact that a more highly-paid Force has been opened for the recruiting of ex-soldiers on a wide scale must in itself re-act unfavourably on Army recruiting—this is particularly the case in respect of skilled men such as Motor Drivers and Mechanics, as the supply of these men amongst ex-soldiers who are eligible for re-enlistment has already been found to be distinctly limited.

11. *The Recruit as a Recruiting Agent.*—A certain amount of publicity in the form of Recruiting Posters has been maintained throughout the year and short advertisements have been inserted from time to time in the Press in connection with special requirements, or to draw attention to innovations; but expenses in this connection have gradually been reduced to an inconsiderable outlay now that the general conditions of service in the After-War Army have become more widely known to the Public.

As an agency of propaganda, the work which can be done by the soldier himself is of more value than any artificial publicity. Among soldiers the recruit is by far the most effectual publicity agent, since the accounts which emanate from him of his first impressions of Army life are bound to influence each town and more especially each little country village, according to the nature of the letters received. Thus, a recruit's first letter home from his Depot is fraught with influences on recruiting for good or evil to an extent quite undreamt of by the writer himself and perhaps occasionally overlooked by the officers and non-commissioned officers with whom he is first brought into contact.

The adoption of Saving Associations in the Army has had a beneficial effect on recruiting. These Saving Associations, which are purely voluntary, are an admirable means of inculcating thrift in soldiers and more especially in recruits who join their Depots at an impressionable age. It has been observed that in those Depots where Saving Associations

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are in a flourishing condition the twin offences of absence and desertion are rare, and also that recruiting as a whole is usually in a more flourishing condition than in the neighbourhood of other Depots where the importance of Saving Associations is not fully realised. The parents of recruits appreciate any effort made to inculcate habits of thrift and favour their sons joining a Regiment in which they know that thrift is encouraged.

12. *Recruiting Depots.*—The Central Recruiting Depot, Whitehall, which was established in 1912, as the Central Army Recruiting Office, was in the hands of the Ministry of National Service from 1st November, 1917, until the end of the War. Since then, owing largely to the initiative and enterprise of the Chief Recruiting Staff Officer, the whole aspect of the Depot has been improved almost out of knowledge. In place of the somewhat forbidding, barrack-like institution of 1914, there is now a model recruiting Depot calculated to create in the minds of intending recruits an impression of sympathetic welcome to Army life. The susceptibilities of the recruit are carefully safeguarded; an increased number of baths have been provided, comfortable sleeping accommodation is provided in separate cubicles, whilst an excellent restaurant and recreation rooms, amply and suitably furnished, complete the home-like atmosphere which has been introduced.

Orders have been issued throughout the country to ensure privacy during the medical inspection of recruits by providing screens or partitions behind which recruits can dress and undress, and also that the medical inspection is not carried out in the presence of other men.

Considerable importance is attached to this side of Army administration, and steps have been taken to bring to the notice of all Officers Commanding Units and others interested the desirability of seeing the conditions prevailing at the Recruiting Depot at Whitehall whenever an opportunity presents itself, such as may often occur during a visit to London on leave.

13. *Summary of Army Orders and Instructions.*—The following brief summary of the more important miscellaneous Army Orders and Instructions issued in connection with Recruiting, Army Reservists, Extension of Service, etc., will indicate generally the lines of policy pursued during the year:—

(*a*) On the 19th January, 1920, Army Order 8 was issued permitting the extension of service of demobilizable soldiers, and certain soldiers who had re-enlisted for short periods under Army Orders 155 and 238 of 1919, for duty with the Corps specified in the Army Order for periods varying from one to four years.

(*b*) On the 26th March, 1920, an Army Council Instruction was issued (No. 189) delegating to Officers i/c Records, as a temporary measure, the power of recalling to the Colours Reservists serving in Section "B" of the Army Reserve who voluntarily apply to rejoin the Colours.

(*c*) On 1st April, 1920, Army Order 135 was issued permitting certain soldiers who had enlisted, or re-enlisted for short periods under Army Orders 155, 238 or 413 of 1919, or extended their service under Army Order 8 of 1920, to extend the terms of their last enlistment, or re-enlistment, or extension of service, up to a total of 12 years. Of this total service, the period to be served with the Colours will be that laid down in paragraph 262, King's Regulations, and the residue will be Reserve

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Service; in fact, the soldiers taking advantage of this offer will practically come on to a normal engagement instead of a short period engagement.

(*d*) In response to a special call for Wireless Operators, Electricians, Fitters and Instrument Makers for the Signal Service, Army Order 187 was issued on the 25th May, 1920, authorising the enlistment or re-enlistment, with Bounty, of a limited number of candidates for the Royal Corps of Signals on a normal engagement for six years with the Colours and six years in the Reserve or for a period of two, three or four years with the Colours.

(*e*) In May, 1920, a decision was reached to recruit a certain number of trained soldiers for service in the United Kingdom only, mainly with a view to stiffening the ranks of the Infantry Battalions serving in Ireland. As a result, Army Order 192 was issued which provided for a limited number of discharged Infantry soldiers with pre-war service to be re-enlisted and for Infantry Reservists of Section "B" Army Reserve to rejoin the Colours for one or two years. On ultimate discharge or re-transfer to the Reserve, on completion of this engagement, these men will be eligible for a special gratuity at the rate of £10 per year in lieu of the ordinary gratuities under Articles 1117–1119, Pay Warrant (the total special gratuity not to exceed £20).

(*f*) In June, 1920, it was decided to allow soldiers who had enlisted or re-enlisted for short periods of Colour Service to extend the terms of their enlistment or re-enlistment under the conditions of Army Order 237 to a total of 12 years from the date of their last attestation, the extended period being converted into Army Reserve Service.

(*g*) Army Order 243, issued on 29th June, 1920, dealt with the reconstruction of Section "D" Army Reserve.

(*h*) In July, 1920, provision was made by Army Order 296 for soldiers who extended their service for short periods (not exceeding one year) under Army Order 8 of 1920, or soldiers serving on Regular "Duration of the War" engagements, who were permitted to defer their demobilization until 31st July, 1920, to extend their service for further short periods, not exceeding 12 months beyond the period of their existing engagements; these extensions were confined to soldiers serving in certain branches of the Service specified in the Army Order.

(*i*) It was considered advisable, as a temporary measure, to permit the re-enlistment into the Regular Army of ex-officers in the rank of Private with immediate promotion to the rank of Corporal, Army Order 313 being issued in this connection. The objects of this measure were two-fold, viz., to give encouragement to the re-enlistment of men who had served temporarily during the War in the commissioned ranks; and, secondly, to raise the standard in the After-War Army of the non-commissioned officer ranks by attracting candidates of good education.

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(*j*) In August, 1920, a special Bounty of £40 was offered to a limited number of serving soldiers of certain trades in the Royal Army Service Corps (Mechanical Transport), Artificers' Branch, to extend their service with the Colours or for Reservists trained in certain trades voluntarily to rejoin the Colours from the Army Reserve of the Royal Army Service Corps.

(*k*) In the same month, the conditions under which soldiers who re-enlisted under Army Orders 4, 124 or 125 of 1919, or Special India Army Orders 39/S of 17th December, 1918, or 47/S of 6th May, 1919, may extend their services were published in Army Order 356.

14. *Recruiting Staff.*—It has been no easy task for the Recruiting Staff both at the War Office and throughout the United Kingdom, to take up the threads of an organisation which had been allowed to lapse—in its normal peace form—for the later years of the War, and at the same time to apply it to the changed conditions. The credit due to recruiting officers and subordinate staffs in City Areas, County Areas and at Depots is enhanced by the fact that, in most cases, they had no previous experience of the work. In fact, they were called on to assemble a machine which had been lying derelict during the last years of the war, and, with little or no technical knowledge of its working, apply its operation to a set of circumstances which differed materially from conditions which originally gave rise to the pre-war recruiting organisation. Not only has the machine been made to function, however, but the results obtained have eclipsed anything achieved in pre-war days.

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SECTION II.

STATISTICAL TABLES.

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SECTION II.—PART I.

PART I.—ESTABLISHMENT AND STRENGTH OF THE REGULAR ARMY, ARMY RESERVE, SPECIAL RESERVE, TERRITORIAL FORCE, ETC.; AND OF THE MILITIA AND VOLUNTEERS IN THE CHANNEL ISLANDS, MALTA AND BERMUDA, ON THE 1st OCTOBER, 1920.

	All Ranks.	
	Establishment (Army Estimates 1920–21.)*	Strength.
Regular Army, British Troops:—		
Regimental Establishments—		
British Establishment	222,459†	227,806
Indian Establishment	—§	64,968
Staff and Departments and Miscellaneous Establishments	7,309	7,000
Total	—	299,774
Regular Army, Colonial Troops	—	3,872
Indian Army Troops (borrowed)	105,575	131,880
Egyptian Army Troops (borrowed)	—	6,199
Army Reserve	140,000‡	63,634
Special Reserve	—‖	982
Territorial Force (as reconstituted in February, 1920)—		
Territorial Officers, Warrant Officers, N.C.Os. and Men	233,600	60,072
Permanent Staff	3,037	2,186
Territorial Force Reserve	—	Nil
Officers' Training Corps:—		
Officers	1,170	628
Permanent Staff	67	65
Militia (Channel Islands, Malta and Bermuda)—		
Permanent Staff	180	—
Militia	—	—
Volunteers (Bermuda)—		
Permanent Staff	5	5
Volunteer Officers and Volunteers ...	314	233
General Total	—	—

* In addition to the numbers shown, provision is made in Army Estimates for 186,368 additional troops temporarily borne on the strength (war-time sick and wounded, those in course of demobilization, men employed on salvage and re-interment of the dead, etc.).

† The figures are provisional; the establishments of the several Arms and Ranks are not yet fixed. The numbers include the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve.

§ Under discussion with the Government of India.

‡ The estimated maximum number drawing pay as Army Reservists in 1920–21.

‖ The future organization of the Special Reserve is under consideration.

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PART II.—STRENGTH AND DISTRIBUTION.

TABLE 1.—REGIMENTAL STRENGTH of the Army (including that portion of the Territorial Force not yet disembodied), BY ARMS, ALL RANKS, on the 1st January, 1920, the 1st April, 1920, the 1st July, 1920, and the 1st October, 1920.

	1st January, 1920.		1st April, 1920.		1st July, 1920.		1st October, 1920.	
	Officers.	Other Ranks.	Officers.	Other Ranks.	Officers.	Other Ranks.	Officers.	Other Ranks.
Household Cavalry	85	1,305	82	1,266	76	1,181	67	1,133
Cavalry of the Line	817	17,526	816	16,766	701	15,843	688	15,788
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	2,360	44,683	1,864	34,828	1,728	31,022	1,597	28,883
Royal Garrison Artillery†	1,534	26,178	1,261	16,424	1,183	14,754	930	13,603
Royal Engineers	3,956	43,345	3,379	27,634	2,645	19,228	1,941	15,697
Royal Corps of Signals	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	124
Foot Guards	420	6,460	356	6,936	313	7,160	308	7,379
Infantry of the Line	10,394	267,020	6,753	186,167	5,824	152,956	5,384	146,310
Army Cyclist Corps	13	183	—	65	—	5	—	1
Machine Gun Corps	1,046	17,498	428	9,617	404	8,657	469	8,074
Tank Corps	531	5,125	364	4,172	279	3,551	296	3,513
Labour Corps	2,142	33,927	524	13,013	374	3,612	238	1,346
Royal Army Service Corps	3,241	43,282	2,258	33,504	2,299	25,174	1,688	18,790
Royal Army Medical Corps	3,211	21,875	2,493	11,374	2,056	7,705	1,946	6,204
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	1,365	9,434	986	6,803	781	5,694	470	4,989
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	397	2,038	328	1,236	290	818	227	659
Royal Army Pay Corps	—	3,081	—	2,257	—	1,271	—	1,099
Corps of Military Accountants	—	—	32	256	51	534	116	851
Corps of Military Police	3	3,942	3	2,458	3	2,211	3	1,953
Non-Combatant Corps	—	455	—	2	—	—	—	—
Colonial Corps§	144	4,576	137	4,169	126	3,876	169	9,902
Indian Native Troops (borrowed)‡	37	1,285	65	2,109	70	2,148	2,230	129,650
Total	31,696	553,218	22,129	381,056	19,203	307,400	18,777	415,948
	584,914		403,185		326,603		434,725	

† Including Mountain Division, and Artillery Clerks.

§ Includes permanent units such as the West India Regiment, the Royal Malta Artillery, the West African Regiment, the Hong Kong and Singapore Battalion R.G.A., etc.; the figures for the 1st October include, also, local Egyptian Forces temporarily employed under the War Office.

‡ Troops of the Indian Army borrowed from India and stationed in China; the figures for the 1st October include, also, all Expeditionary Indian Troops employed under the War Office.

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STRENGTH AND

TABLE 2.—REGIMENTAL STRENGTH of the Regular Army,

Year.	ALL RANKS.										
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.†	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Royal Flying Corps (Military Wing).	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Cyclist Corps.	Machine-Gun Corps.
1st Oct., 1911	1,302	19,986	31,336	18,449	9,648	—	—	7,433	142,223	—	—
,, 1912	1,314	19,784	30,166	18,342	9,661	—	238	7,367	140,955	—	—
,, 1913	1,308	18,682	29,316	18,217	10,013	—	822	7,425	135,807	—	—
,, 1914*	3,366	89,379	131,304	43,672	36,201	—	1,655	22,970	903,771	—	—
,, 1915*	4,860	115,360	289,314	63,630	150,126	—	9,087	32,478	1,459,633	30,357	—
,, 1916*	5,410	124,900	339,674	130,553	229,022	—	51,061	35,099	1,897,077	24,878	50,218
,, 1917*	7,595	96,762	347,708	179,930	336,062	—	97,857	37,691	1,851,144	25,004	87,092
,, 1918*	1,379	76,696	332,054	205,420	359,964	—	—	46,442	1,691,055	8,801	131,252
,, 1919‖	1,481	26,214	72,778	50,234	94,269	—	—	10,176	506,075	1,920	37,165
,, 1920‖	1,200	16,476	30,480	14,533	17,638	134	—	7,687	151,694	]	8,543

NOTE.—From the end of March, 1918, the Royal Flying Corps (Military Wing) was transferred to the Royal Air Force and separated from the Army.

The "Army Cyclist Corps" was created by Royal Warrant in November, 1914, the "Machine Gun Corps" by Royal Warrant in October, 1915, the "Non-Combatant Corps" by Royal Warrant in March, 1916, the "Labour Corps" by Royal Warrant in February, 1917, the "Tank Corps" by Royal Warrant in July, 1917, the "Corps of Military Accountants" by Royal Warrant in November, 1919, and the "Royal Corps of Signals" by Royal Warrant in June, 1920.

* The figures for these years include the Territorial Force. Prisoners of War are included, except those of the Territorial Force for the years 1915, 1916 and 1917.

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DISTRIBUTION.

BY ARMS, ALL RANKS, on 1st October in each year from 1911.

ALL RANKS.

Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Corps of Military Accountants.	Corps of Military Police.	Non-Combatant Corps.	Colonial Corps.§	Indian Native Troops borrowed.‡	All Arms.
—	—	6,748	4,734	2,609	367	664	—	—	—	3,977	4,833	254,309
—	—	6,504	4,975	2,527	366	633	—	—	—	3,876	7,054	253,762
—	—	6,505	4,798	2,502	364	597	—	—	—	3,825	7,069	247,250
—	—	34,358	43,238	4,048	1,212	1,213	—	—	—	3,915	7,063	1,327,372
—	—	173,932	104,055	13,930	13,277	6,399	—	—	—	3,983	5,343	2,475,764
—	—	265,024	122,569	27,186	22,813	5,555	—	—	2,691	4,073	5,994	3,343,797
14,979	262,604	313,434	139,341	35,395	29,264	9,754	—	—	3,312	4,212	3,877	3,883,017
26,460	386,317	326,770	140,242	40,351	27,917	14,170	—	—	3,237	18,363	1,376	3,838,265
7,973	87,998	86,479	40,658	18,342	5,201	5,119	—	4,875**	1,609	4,830	1,347	1,064,743
3,809	1,584	20,478	8,150	5,459	886	1,090	967	1,956**	—	10,071	131,880	434,725

|| The figures for 1919 and 1920 include that portion of the old Territorial Force not disembodied; those for 1920 do not include the new Territorial Force as reconstituted in February, 1920.

† Including Mountain Division and Artillery Clerks.

§ Includes the West India Regiment, the Royal Malta Artillery, the West African Regiment, etc.; and from 1918 includes, also, the British West Indies Regiment. The figures for 1920 include, in addition, local Egyptian Forces temporarily employed under the War Office.

‡ Troops of the Indian Army borrowed from India, and employed on garrison duties in China, Singapore, etc.; the figures for the 1st October, 1920, include, also, all Expeditionary Indian Troops employed under the War Office.

** In previous years, the Military Mounted Police are included under "Cavalry," and the Military Foot Police under "Infantry."

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TABLE 3.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the WARRANT OFFICERS, NON-COM-
Service (including that portion of the old Territorial Force not

	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.			Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Cyclist Corps.
			Horse and Field.	Garrison.	Artillery Clerks.					
Strength on 1st October, 1919 ...	1,391	25,274	69,823	47,393	490	83,752	...	9,604	488,051	*1,818
Increase—										
Recruits joined—										
Long service	1	...	1	57	...	319	...	18	320	...
Short service—										
1 year	...	2	...	...	...	25	35	...	336	...
2 years	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
3 years	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	3,309	1	...
4 years	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
6 years	...	...	4,505	...	...	2,091	75	...	...	...
7 years	...	3,396	...	...	...	...	...	49	19,748	...
8 years	94	119	...	1,766	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 years (lads between 17 and 18 years of age)	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	6	907	...
9 years (boys)	3	271	268	143	...	461	12	250	1,846	...
12 years	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...
Re-enlisted	8	557	1,552	585	...	1,430	1	292	13,468	...
	106	4,345	6,335	2,560	...	4,344	123	3,924	36,632	...
Joined from desertion	2	220	463	112	...	247	...	160	4,126	3
From Army Reserve—										
On mobilization	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By indulgence	1	67	492	112	...	66	...	39	1,153	...
From Special Reserve	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	...
From Royal Air Force	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
From "Missing," Expeditionary Forces	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	495	...
Indian and Colonial Units*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other causes	...	854	...	...	17	3,749	21	305	...	...
Total Increase	109	5,486	7,291	2,784	17	8,408	144	4,428	42,436	3
Decrease—										
Died	4	70	202	455	4	540	...	143	1,659	...
Discharged—										
After 21 years' service	32	186	432	484	36	105	...	23	1,646	...
Prematurely, after 18 years' service under Royal Warrant ...	5	38	122	64	1	44	...	7	174	...
On completing 1st period (12 years)	2	180	126	134	...	2,090	...	21	2,516	...
As invalids	63	965	2,131	1,910	8	3,656	...	570	27,682	26
By purchase	66	136	385	142	2	130	...	137	641	...
Under Sect. 81, Army Act of 1881 (by purchase, under 3 months)	...	120	...	...	...	2	...	7	178	...
For re-enlistment	...	182	...	162	...	730	...	7	2,371	...
Free, under Royal Warrant for Pay, &c.—										
Article 1130 (ii)	2	11	5	...	...	...	...	1	208	...
Article 1131	...	1	5	4	...	3	...	...	35	...
For the purpose of residing abroad, par. 392 (xv. c), K.R.	...	47	5	1	...	...	...	3	33	...
Demobilized	6	1,715	5,961	2,068	7	10,968	...	53	63,714	50
Not likely to become efficient soldiers	4	25	38	18	...	53	...	145	1,239	...
On conviction of making a false answer on attestation	1	2	4	...	...	46	...	9	18	...

* The large increase is due to the fact that previously only those units which were serving in pre-war stations in the Colonies were included, whereas now all such employed under the War Office are included.

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MISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN on the Regimental Strength of each Arm of the yet disembodied), during the year ending 30th September, 1920.

Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Corps of Military Accountants.	Corps of Military Police.	Non-Combatant Corps.	Total, All Arms.	Indian Troops.†	Colonial Corps.†	Grand Total.
35,405	7,159	84,425	82,065	35,122	16,388	4,630	5,119	...	4,872	1,609	1,004,390	1,307	4,680	1,010,377
4	9	...	350	4	...	...	...	...	..	...	1,083	...	...	1,083
...	1	32	421	8	1,340	...	...	1	...	...	2,201	...	...	2,201
...	25	...	356	62	586	...	...	8	..	...	1,045	...	...	1,045
...	21	...	...	361	128	...	2	4	..	..	3,833	..	...	3,833
...	29	...	...	...	206	...	...	4	...	...	246	...	...	246
...	...	...	...	...	524	30	...	...	...	...	7,225	...	...	7,225
561	325	...	1,429	936	...	...	...	14	...	...	26,458	...	...	26,458
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,979	...	...	1,979
...	45	...	4	2	...	...	...	5	...	...	978	...	...	978
...	26	...	234	111	96	...	...	...	...	...	3,721	...	...	3,721
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	11
510	31	...	7,774	1,671	29	92	250	260	100	...	28,610	...	...	28,610
1,075	512	32	10,568	3,155	2,909	122	252	296	100	...	77,390	...	...	77,390
215	70	114	465	75	6	14	2	...	2	1	6,297	...	...	6,297
...	...	30	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	31	...	...	31
147	4	...	57	54	6	...	...	...	5	...	2,203	...	...	2,203
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	...	...	29
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2
...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	498	...	...	498
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	129,614	6,439	136,053
...	...	...	3,961	...	...	...	7	573	3	...	9,490	...	...	9,490
1,437	586	176	15,051	3,285	2,921	136	262	869	110	1	95,940	129,614	6,439	231,993
189	9	133	279	78	41	16	6	3	3	1	3,835	...	...	3,835
24	16	35	10	67	82	...	65	1	10	...	3,254	...	...	3,254
3	1	...	28	15	...	...	5	...	1	...	508	...	...	508
11	5	94	1,820	1,414	226	335	37	...	339	...	9,350	...	...	9,350
1,250	453	10,234	2,594	860	379	191	115	1	12	5	53,105	...	...	53,105
36	49	...	54	11	7	...	6	...	3	...	1,805	...	...	1,805
...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	309	...	...	309
27	27	28	725	93	29	...	2	...	5	...	4,388	...	...	4,388
...	...	...	8	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	238	...	...	238
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	49	...	...	49
6	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	5	...	104	...	...	104
444	530	12,365	11,748	5,032	1,802	97	885	3	15	2	117,465	...	...	117,465
...	...	...	25	243	7	...	1	1	1	...	1,800	...	...	1,800
...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	1	...	88	...	...	88

† Includes British other ranks, Indian and Native officers and other ranks, but excludes British officers.

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TABLE 3—(*continued*).—INCREASE and DECREASE of the WARRANT OFFICERS, NON-COM- Service (including that portion of the old Territorial Force not

	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.			Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Cyclist Corps.
			Horse and Field.	Garrison.	Artillery Clerks.					
Decrease—*continued.*										
Discharged—*continued.*										
For misconduct	1	76	222	72	1	119	...	163	1,700	...
Misstatement as to age	...	204	301	70	...	52	...	114	1,583	...
Services no longer required; or surplus to military requirements	...	608	1,870	342	...	1,359	...	241	6,838	...
Miscellaneous	20	311	1,643	21	1	456	...	107	1,438	43
Total Discharged	202	4,807	13,250	5,492	56	19,813	...	1,608	112,014	119
Struck off as deserters**	5	723	1,603	468	...	464	...	452	8,502	5
To Army Reserve—										
On completion of service ...	39	352	1,727	390	2	440	20	51	1,962	1
Class Z	80	8,080	27,800	27,796	211	54,564	...	4,274	249,631	1,614
On conversion of service	15	98	78	75	...	131	...	51	186	...
On demobilization...	1	3	676	109	...	63	...	62	273	...
Relegated	12	839	2,333	805	3	372	...	11	3,335	20
To Special Reserve (relegated) ...	...	...	...	...	...	41	...	...	593	...
To Royal Air Force	2	...	36	...	...	32	...	1	112	...
"Missing," Expeditionary Force ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	267	...
Indian and Colonial Units	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other causes	7	...	526	1,215	...	...	...	...	5,643	61
Total Decrease	367	14,972	48,231	36,805	276	76,463	20	6,653	384,177	1,820
Net Increase	...	...	...	...	...	...	124	...	...	...
Net Decrease	258	9,486	40,940	34,021	259	68,055	...	2,225	341,741	1,817
Strength on the 1st October, 1920 ...	1,133	15,788	28,883	13,372	231	15,697	124	7,379	146,310	1

** The difference in the numbers, as compared with those in the table on page 71, is partly due to the fact that the Increase and Decrease Table is based upon Monthly Returns, some of the earlier of which included, as Deserters, a number of men who, whilst on leave from Overseas during the period when demobilization at Home was permitted upon the production of an offer of employment, failed to report upon the expiration of their leave.

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MISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN on the Regimental Strength of each Arm of the yet disembodied), during the year ending 30th September, 1920.

Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Corps of Military Accountants.	Corps of Military Police.*	Non-Combatant Corps.	Total, All Arms.	Indian Troops.†	Colonial Corps.†	Grand Total.†
1	11	...	206	58	...	...	...	...	4	...	2,634	...	...	2,634
149	25	...	101	70	35	10	...	...	...	...	2,714	...	...	2,714
...	103	...	3,268	331	140	70	34	...	...	...	15,204	...	...	15,204
150	57	5	463	250	34	17	349	8	...	...	5,373	...	...	5,373
2,101	1,277	22,761	21,050	8,458	2,743	720	1,500	14	396	7	218,388	...	...	218,388
630	182	391	1,126	198	64	35	2	1	1	1	14,853	...	...	14,853
278	28	...	217	227	58	5	5	...	16	...	5,818	...	...	5,818
24,983	2,593	57,673	55,140	19,015	11,186	3,253	2,769	...	...	1,597	552,259	...	...	552,259
...	4	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	643	...	...	643
...	...	42	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	1,232	...	...	1,232
...	86	293	344	36	92	...	...	...	...	1	8,582	...	...	8,582
...	...	105	11	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	755	...	...	755
106	...	...	159	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	454	...	...	454
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	270	...	...	270
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,271	1,217	2,488
481	53	1,857	...	4,178	131	77	...	...	2,613	* 3	16,845	...	...	16,845
28,768	4,232	83,255	78,326	32,203	14,320	4,107	4,282	18	3,029	1,610	823,934	1,271	1,217	826,422
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	851	...	...	975	128,343	5,22[illegible]	134,540
27,331	3,64[illegible]	83,079	63,275	28,918	11,399	3,971	4,020	...	2,919	1,609	728,969	...	...	728,969
8,074	3,513	1,346	18,790	6,204	4,989	659	1,099	851	1,953	...	276,396	‡129,650	§9902	415,948

† Includes British other ranks, Indian and Native officers and other ranks, but excludes British officers.

* Prior to August, 1920, details of the increases and decreases are not available; the net decrease for the period from 1st. October 1919, to 31st, July 1920, therefore, is shown under "Other causes."

‡ Includes Indian Native Troops employed on Garrison duties in China and Singapore, and also all Indian Native Troops employed with Expeditionary Forces under the War Office.

§ Includes 3,795 men belonging to permanent Colonial Units (Royal Malta Artillery, West Indies Regiment, West African Regiment, etc.), and 6,107 men of Local Egyptian Forces temporarily employed.

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TABLE 4.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN on the Regimental Strength of the Army during each year from 1910–11.

	Years ending 30th September.									
	1911.	1912.	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.*	1919.*	1920.**
Strength at beginning of year	240,712	242,391	241,709	235,278	927,077	1,646,665	2,244,109	2,954,965	3,690,527	1,010,377
INCREASE.										
Recruits joined—										
Long Service—12years	1,567	1,521	1,563	855	348	346	286	454	6,990	1,083
Short Service—										
1 year	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17,907	2,201
2 years	1,289	1,071	1,263	1,931	2,632	363	14	—	1,732	1,045
3 years	4,528	4,604	3,293	6,349	12,082	1,393	488	183	2,777	3,833
4 years	—	142	388	455	3,638	1,770	1,811	18	66	246
6 years	2,658	1,800	3,794	5,822	2,973	355	322	1,109	9,476	7,225
7 years	17,428	19,518	16,051	22,441	15,145	4,482	664	199	38,586	26,458
8 years	1,982	1,660	1,739	2,378	851	173	100	73	1,290	1,979
9 years (lads between 17 and 18 years of age)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	978
9 years (boys)	—	—	—	699	1,932	1,164	2,113	1,903	6,917	3,721
12 years	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11
Boys. (Royal Flying Corps) ...	—	—	—	24	7	11	1,735	5,169	—	—
Re-enlisted	140	152	139	204	860	—	—	—	—	—
Specially Enlisted—										
1 year, Army Order 283 of 1914 ...	—	—	—	12,231	9,906	—	—	—	—	—
6 months or war, Home Hospital Reserve	—	—	—	2,504	2,702	—	—	—	—	—

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3 years, Army Order 296 of 1914...	—	—	—	373,048	167,280	—	—	—	—	—
6 years Special Reserve	—	—	—	22,666	9,694	2,153	—	—	—	—
4 years Special Reserve	—	—	—	494	693	830	—	—	—	—
Re-enlisted 1 year Special Reserve, Army Order 295 of 1914 ...	—	—	—	74,846	42,636	12,392	3,401	4,678	—	—
Re-enlisted Special Reserve (4 and 6 years)	—	—	—	3,579	1,255	22	—	—	—	—
Duration of war	—	—	—	—	725,717	850,958	753,922	515,927	33,785	—
Re-enlisted under Army Order 124 of 1919, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120,205	28,610
Special Reserve	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	22	—
Colonial Corps	584	499	668	654	402	509	651	15,325	513	6,413
	30,176	30,967	28,898	531,180	1,000,753	876,921	765,507	545,038	240,326	83,803
Joined from desertion	1,355	1,459	1,382	3,772	8,706	11,462	11,526	14,587	9,841	6,297
From Regular Reserve	16	18	28	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
From Permanent Staff Auxiliary Forces	66	85	138	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
†Taken on Imperial Establishment ...	4,791	2,283	208	4,811	3,875	2,213	730	1,255	345	129,640
From Army Reserve—										
On mobilization	—	—	—	138,541	4,219	115	6,777	12,476	12,639	31
By indulgence	—	—	—	421	—	—	—	—	—	2,203
From Special Reserve	—	—	—	61,009	3,200	1	—	—	34	29
From Territorial Force	—	—	—	—	436	44,184	266,097	796,784	—	—
From "Missing," Expeditionary Force	—	—	—	—	923	10,599	17,077	36,250	33,826	498
From Royal Marines	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,501	—	—	—
From Royal Air Force	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	192	218	2
Warrant Officers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	22,163	—	—
Other causes	434	626	635	1,774	16,646	54,478	332,515	284,998	50,209	9,490
Total Increase	36,838	35,438	31,289	741,508	1,038,758	999,973	1,401,730	1,713,743	347,438	231,993

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TABLE 4—*continued.*—INCREASE and DECREASE of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN on the Regimental Strength of the Army during each year from 1910–11.

	Years ending 30th September.									
	1911.	1912.	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.*	1919.*	1920.**
DECREASE.										
Died	744	757	669	2,415	54,051	102,919	124,938	149,161	73,423	3,835
Discharged—										
To pension after 21 years	1,586	1,692	2,089	1,832	193	688	455	216	1,603	3,254
To pension after 18 years	959	1,120	1,091	645	7	33	15	16	30	508
On completing 12 years	1,869	2,174	2,374	1,840	2,942	16,073	1,602	347	1,584	9,350
As invalids	2,073	1,985	1,886	3,881	37,019	78,953	93,692	224,940	239,048	53,105
By purchase...	1,043	1,109	1,260	1,161	—	—	—	—	—	1,805
By purchase under 3 months ...	403	620	712	643	40	2	—	—	—	309
Free : Pay Warrant, Art. 1130 (ii)	558	594	683	467	40	3	—	—	2	238
Free : Pay Warrant, Art. 1131 ...	175	204	240	190	36	1	—	—	—	49
For the purpose of residing abroad	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	104
Not likely to become efficient soldiers	903	926	870	6,536	107,229	29,849	2,188	749	439	1,800
For false answer on attestation ...	72	90	68	85	423	96	3	10	3	88
Misstatement as to age on enlistment	263	394	356	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,714
Services no longer required ...	303	278	297	—	—	—	—	—	—	15,204
For misconduct	—	—	—	1,186	4,321	674	72	56	769	2,634
With disgrace	(a)1,762	(a)1,961	(a)1,753	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
For re-enlistment under Army Order 124 of 1919, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	84,744	4,388
Demobilized...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	426,810	117,465
Miscellaneous	236	165	186	1,519	19,604	22,023	35,685	55,862	38,556	5,373
Total Discharged	12,205	13,312	13,865	19,985	171,854	148,395	133,712	282,196	793,588	218,388

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Struck off as deserters	3,019	3,042	2,934	3,280	40,375	26,520	21,838	26,272	21,618	14,853
To Army Reserve—										
On completion of service	9,835	9,487	8,232	12,081	1	—	—	—	—	5,818
On conversion of service	¶3,691	¶7,782	¶10,180	2,646	2	7,610	36,179	47,003	108,243	643
Relegated	7	13	18	547	62	—	—	—	—	8,582
On demobilization	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,232
Class Z	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,941,691	552,259
To Permanent Staff Auxiliary Forces	346	377	437	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To Special Reserve (relegated) ...	—	—	—	152	652	—	—	—	9,516	755
To Territorial Force	—	—	—	418	302	25,961	98,666	—	—	—
"Given up" as deserters	—	—	—	3	33	36	8	5	2	—
†Struck off Imperial Establishment...	4,335	144	187	4,817	5,513	1,569	2,778	3,703	8,146	1,271
"Missing," Expeditionary Force ...	—	—	—	—	17,165	32,779	26,862	97,757	11,695	270
To Royal Marines	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,318	—	—	—
To Royal Air Force	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	143,435	1,561	454
Disembodied	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	52	—
Other causes	977	1,206	1,227	3,365	29,160	56,740	243,575	228,649	58,053	18,062
Total Decrease	35,159	36,120	37,749	49,709	319,170	402,529	690,874	978,181	3,027,588	826,422
Net Increase	1,679	—	—	691,799	719,588	597,444	710,856	735,562	—	—
Net Decrease	—	682	6,460	—	—	—	—	—	2,680,150	594,429
	1st Oct., 1911	1st Oct., 1912	1st Oct., 1913	1st Oct., 1914	1st Oct., 1915	1st Oct., 1916	1st Oct., 1917	1st Oct., 1918	1st Oct., 1919	1st Oct., 1920
Strength at end of year	242,391	241,709	235,249	927,077	1,646,665	2,244,109	2,954,965	3,690,527	1,010,377	415,948
Add TERRITORIAL FORCE (Embodied)				365,340	727,766	975,234	765,075	*		**
TOTAL, including T.F.				1,292,417	2,374,431	3,219,343	3,720,040			

* The figures for these years include the embodied TERRITORIAL FORCE; Warrant Officers, also, are included.
** The figures include the small portion of the *old* TERRITORIAL FORCE not yet disembodied.
(*a*) Including 1,589, 1,140, 1,064 discharges for misconduct in the years 1910–11, 1911–12 and 1912–13 respectively.
¶ In 1910–11, 1,486, in 1911–12, 6,045, and in 1912–13, 8,118 men were allowed to convert their colour to reserve service on special terms.
† These headings apply to Indian Native Troops borrowed for Garrison purposes; the large increase in 1920, is due to the fact that, for the first time, all Expeditionary Troops of the Indian Army employed under the War Office are also included.

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TABLE 5.—DISTRIBUTION of the numbers on the Regimental

	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Foot Guards.	Infantry.	Army Cyclist Corps.
HOME:—									
England and Wales...	1,200	4,513	9,966	5,985	9,309	129	7,687	37,635	1
Ireland	—	4,329	2,996	1,393	1,630	2	...	32,627	...
Scotland	...	599	580	251	57	...	...	5,867	...
Channel Islands ...	...	...	...	47	16	...	...	71	...
TOTAL STRENGTH, HOME	1,200	9,441	13,542	7,676	11,012	131	7,687	76,200	1
INDIA AND ADEN ...	...	3,347	10,389	3,705	1,377	1	....	39,885	...
EXPEDITIONARY FORCES:—									
France and Flanders	...	...	43	6	595	...	...	2,359	...
Rhine Army ...	...	672	927	308	922	...	...	7,164	...
Black Sea Army ...	...	585	990	26	702	...	...	5,583	...
Egypt and Palestine	...	1,690	2,096	382	1,430	2	...	8,662	...
Mesopotamia ...	...	741	2,493	456	579	...	...	7,467	...
Total Strength, Expeditionary Forces	...	3,688	6,549	1,178	4,228	2	...	31,235	...
COLONIES, ETC.:—									
Gibraltar	...	...	...	621	359	...	...	909	...
Malta...	...	...	...	407	294	...	...	861	...
Cyprus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ceylon	...	...	...	106	23	...	...	...	...
Straits Settlements	...	...	...	174	38	...	...	889	...
China...	...	...	...	242	88	...	...	717	...
South Africa ...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
West Africa	...	...	...	148	84	...	...	...	...
Mauritius	...	...	...	91	47	...	...	...	...
Bermuda	...	...	...	87	47	...	...	246	...
Jamaica, etc. ...	...	...	...	96	41	...	...	752	...
Total Strength, Colonies ...	...	...	...	1,974	1,021	...	...	4,374	...
Total Strength, Home and Abroad	1,200	16,476	30,480	14,533	17,638	134	7,687	151,694	1

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Strength of the Army BY ARMS, ALL RANKS, on 1st October, 1920.

Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Corps of Military Accountants.	Corps of Military Police.	Colonial Troops.	Indian Native Troops.	General Total.
1,702	2,813	266	8,701	3,694	2,628	357	653	785	659	...	...	98,683
1,060	226	...	3,103	532	443	54	42	55	248	...	...	48,740
...	...	...	91	154	25	...	42	36	42	...	...	7,744
...	...	...	8	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	150
2,762	3,039	266	11,903	4,380	3,104	411	737	876	949	...	...	155,317
4,588	...	...	827	601	410	98	2	...	...	...	...	65,230
12	...	1,239	950	79	48	114	6	...	29	...	...	5,480
240	166	79	2,056	540	318	...	68	...	529	...	...	13,989
208	...	...	923	490	258	82	36	...	137	...	12,638	22,748
47	305	...	2,037	939	732	118	8[illegible]	44	186	6,199	34,367	59,318
596	299	...	1,262	746	348	60	88	11	84	...	81,918	97,148
1,193	770	1,318	7,228	2,794	1,704	374	280	55	965	6,199	128,923	198,683
...	...	...	78	76	35	2	8	6	20	...	...	2,114
...	...	...	255	100	34	1	15	10	22	541	...	2,540
...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
...	...	...	6	13	13	...	2	1	...	...	...	164
...	...	...	16	36	20	...	5	3	...	145	930	2,256
...	...	...	68	56	29	...	11	3	...	805	2,027	4,046
...	...	...	34	7	31	...	7	...	...	...	...	81
...	...	...	9	28	17	...	8	5	...	1,569	...	1,868
...	...	...	10	6	5	...	2	1	...	...	...	162
...	...	...	13	23	42	...	3	3	...	...	...	464
...	...	...	16	30	15	...	19	4	...	812	...	1,785
...	...	...	520	375	241	3	8	36	42	3,872	2,957	15,495
8,543	3,809	1,584	20,478	8,150	5,459	886	1,099	967	1,956	10,071	131,880	434,725

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TABLE 6.—DISTRIBUTION of the UNITS of the Fighting Arms of the Service on the 1st October, 1920.

	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.								Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.		Machine Gun Corps.		Tank Corps.		Colonial Troops.		Indian Native Troops (bor-rowed).	
				Horse.	Field.	Garrison.																
	Regiments.	Regiments.	Depots.	Batteries.	Depots and Riding Estabs.	Batteries.	Depots.	Pack Batteries.	Batteries.	Companies.	Fire Commands.	Depots.	Battalions.	Regular Battalions.	Special Reserve Battalions.	Battalions.	Squadrons or Companies.	Battalions.	Armoured Car Companies.	Artillery Companies.	Infantry Battalions.	Cavalry Regiments.	Infantry Battalions.
HOME—																						
England and Wales	3	7	4	4	2	56	4	8	24	8	20	5	10	28	56	2	....	5½	2	....	....	....	....
Ireland	....	7	1	2	....	26	1	....	8	....	4	....	....	40	8	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....
Scotland	....	1	1	....	....	6	1	....	3	....	5	....	....	3	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Channel Islands	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total, Home	3	15	6	6	2	88	6	8	35	8	30	5	10	71	74	3	....	5½	3	....	....	....	....
INDIA AND ADEN	6	....	....	5	....	40	....	5	11	7	....	....	....	41	....	4½	3	....	....	....	....	....	....
EXPEDITIONARY FORCES—																						
Rhine	....	1	....	....	....	4	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	8	....	....	1	½	....	....	....	....	....
Black Sea	....	..	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	11
Egypt and Palestine	....	3	....	2	....	8	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....	2	....	1	8	23
Mesopotamia	....	2	....	2	....	12	....	2	1	....	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	6	50
Total, Expeditionary Forces	....	7	....	4	....	32	....	3	3	....	....	....	....	31	....	....	2	½	4	....	1	14	84

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PART III.—RECRUITING.

TABLE 1.—RECRUITS RAISED BY THE DIFFERENT RECRUITING AGENCIES for the Regular Army on NORMAL ENGAGEMENTS during the year ending 25th September, 1920.

Recruiting Areas.	For the Territorial Regiment of the Recruiting Area.	Other Infantry Regiments.	Cavalry of the Line and Household Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Foot Guards.	Tank Corps.	Other Corps.	Total.	Percentage of Infantry Recruits who joined the Territorial Regiment of the Regimental Recruiting Area.
SCOTTISH COMMAND.												
1st Regtl. Rectng. Area, Glencorse	58	3	1	6	—	1	—	1	2	8	80	95·0
21st ,, ,, Ayr	30	11	2	12	—	—	—	7	—	1	63	73·1
25th ,, ,, Berwick	57	6	1	8	—	4	—	4	1	8	89	90·4
26th ,, ,, Hamilton	15	3	—	9	—	2	—	7	—	2	38	83·3
42nd ,, ,, Perth	76	39	14	21	6	14	—	17	1	9	197	66·0
71st ,, ,, Hamilton	30	1	2	4	—	—	—	5	—	1	43	96·7
72nd ,, ,, Fort George	49	11	4	1	—	—	—	9	—	—	74	81·6
75th ,, ,, Aberdeen	64	70	23	4	9	10	—	27	1	28	236	47·7
79th ,, ,, Inverness	62	3	—	10	1	6	—	1	—	4	87	95·3
91st ,, ,, Stirling	49	86	10	19	5	8	2	5	—	28	212	36·3
Total, Regtl. Recruiting Areas	490	233	57	94	21	45	2	83	5	89	1,119	67·8
Dundee City Recruiting Area	—	159	7	35	2	13	1	46	1	13	277	—
Glasgow City ,, ,, ...	—	590	127	46	13	54	3	127	24	44	1,028	—
Edinburgh City ,, ,, ...	—	294	79	48	5	40	—	65	1	74	606	—
Total, City Recruiting Areas	—	1,043	213	129	20	107	4	238	26	131	1,911	—
Total, Scottish Command	490	1,276	270	223	41	152	6	321	31	220	3,030	—

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WESTERN COMMAND.												
4th Regtl. Rectng. Area, Lancaster	100	12	9	12	6	15	—	3	—	53	210	89·3
8th ,, ,, Seaforth	88	58	15	14	1	4	—	5	3	12	200	60·3
20th ,, ,, Bury	13	61	2	9	1	12	1	6	—	10	115	17·6
22nd ,, ,, Chester	245	81	—	14	—	2	4	31	1	9	387	75·0
23rd ,, ,, Wrexham	96	51	24	63	2	33	—	46	1	19	335	65·3
24th ,, ,, Brecon	103	46	18	13	18	6	—	15	—	17	236	69·1
30th ,, ,, Preston	240	46	8	35	11	—	—	17	—	48	405	84·0
34th ,, ,, Carlisle	63	24	7	37	5	4	—	5	—	7	152	72·4
40th ,, ,, Warrington....	113	20	5	35	5	14	—	15	—	9	216	85·0
41st ,, ,, Cardiff	89	150	25	46	44	14	—	39	—	31	438	37·2
47th ,, ,, Preston	106	19	5	11	2	11	—	11	3	18	186	84·8
53rd ,, ,, Shrewsbury	210	5	17	31	5	7	2	10	—	11	298	97·6
63rd ,, ,, Ashton-under-Lyne	69	222	55	41	4	4	—	20	3	65	483	23·7
Total, Regtl. Recruiting Areas	1,535	795	190	361	104	126	7	223	11	309	3,661	65·9
Cardiff City Recruiting Area	—	149	3	31	2	8	—	65	—	13	271	—
Liverpool ,, ,, ...	—	400	86	62	6	129	1	176	44	173	1,077	—
Manchester ,, ,, ...	—	459	50	35	5	70	5	167	—	171	962	—
Total, City Recruiting Areas	—	1,008	139	128	13	207	6	408	44	357	2,310	—
Total, Western Command	1,535	1,803	329	489	117	333	13	631	55	666	5,971	—
NORTHERN COMMAND.												
Northumberland County Rectng. Area	194	242	298	230	6	35	—	123	66	256	1,450	44·5
Durham ,, ,,	82	238	77	110	60	18	2	19	3	61	670	25·6
North Riding ,, ,,	122	68	19	40	16	19	2	9	1	32	328	64·0
West Riding ,, ,,	715	211	211	284	86	72	1	132	5	119	1,836	77·2
East Riding ,, ,,	98	113	52	72	15	8	—	102	1	16	477	46·2
Lincolnshire ,, ,,	160	37	29	40	15	48	4	19	3	37	392	81·2
Leicestershire ,, ,,	385	39	27	84	4	7	4	55	1	28	634	90·8
Derbyshire ,, ,,	103	115	18	28	6	9	—	48	2	14	343	47·2
Nottinghamshire ,, ,,	145	267	77	79	20	29	—	172	1	68	858	35·2
Staffordshire ,, ,,	501	77	58	117	42	26	—	46	—	49	916	86·3
Total, County Recruiting Areas....	2,505	1,407	866	1,084	270	271	13	725	83	680	7,904	64·0

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TABLE 1—*continued.*—RECRUITS RAISED BY THE DIFFERENT RECRUITING AGENCIES for the Regular Army on NORMAL ENGAGEMENTS during the year ending 25th September, 1920.

Recruiting Areas.	For the Territorial Regiment of the Recruiting Area.	Other Infantry Regiments.	Cavalry of the Line and Household Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Foot Guards.	Tank Corps.	Other Corps.	Total.	Percentage of Infantry Recruits who joined the Territorial Regiment of the Regimental Recruiting Area.
NORTHERN COMMAND—*continued.*												
Sheffield City Recruiting Area	—	414	107	47	75	71	3	108	—	190	1,015	—
Sunderland ,, ,, ,, ...	—	294	17	73	2	10	—	31	—	17	444	—
Wolverhampton ,, ,, ...	—	348	16	53	47	20	—	88	5	60	637	—
Total, City Recruiting Areas	—	1,056	140	173	124	101	3	227	5	267	2,096	—
Total, Northern Command	2,505	2,463	1,006	1,257	394	372	16	952	88	947	10,000	—
SOUTHERN COMMAND.												
6th Regtl. Rectng. Area, Warwick	21	184	29	62	8	29	—	39	5	49	426	10·2
11th ,, ,, Exeter	16	133	35	94	189	103	7	59	4	143	783	10·7
13th ,, ,, Taunton	243	124	13	49	12	44	2	24	3	47	561	66·2
28th ,, ,, Bristol	259	114	71	62	15	52	3	122	2	174	874	69·4
29th ,, ,, Worcester	185	8	40	44	6	20	1	13	—	19	336	95·9
32nd ,, ,, Bodmin	109	31	1	14	14	28	—	2	1	25	225	77·8
37th ,, ,, Winchester	207	334	150	245	112	288	45	38	16	344	1,779	38·3
39th ,, ,, Dorchester	108	14	17	16	37	37	—	2	16	25	272	88·5
43rd ,, ,, Oxford	96	20	52	31	8	22	10	7	—	11	257	82·8
49th ,, ,, Reading	145	35	44	29	11	59	—	6	2	40	371	80·5
62nd ,, ,, Devizes	75	12	16	22	4	13	3	10	—	17	172	86·2
Total, Regtl. Rectng. Areas	1,464	1,009	468	668	416	695	71	322	49	894	6,056	59·2

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Southern Command—continued.												
Birmingham City Rectng. Area	—	308	58	86	15	76	—	187	81	117	928	—
*Bristol ,, ,, ,, ...	—	19	—	15	1	3	—	16	—	18	72	—
Total, City Recruiting Areas	—	327	58	101	16	79	—	203	81	135	1,000	—
Total, Southern Command	1,464	1,336	526	769	432	774	71	525	130	1,029	7,056	—
Eastern Command.												
2nd Regtl. Rectng. Area, Guildford	81	72	65	75	30	39	6	13	10	60	451	53·0
3rd ,, ,, Canterbury....	115	106	82	50	75	43	—	9	15	52	547	52·9
7th ,, ,, Hounslow	246	296	142	88	144	14	13	6	14	144	1,107	45·4
9th ,, ,, Norwich	97	100	98	72	29	55	10	22	—	51	534	49·2
12th ,, ,, Bury St. Edmunds	164	111	77	158	48	34	6	16	2	62	678	59·6
16th ,, ,, Bedford	201	92	24	67	8	30	—	13	—	42	477	68·6
31st ,, ,, Kingston	186	176	17	102	58	45	—	5	7	125	721	51·4
35th ,, ,, Chichester	136	130	117	103	47	68	29	28	—	84	742	51·1
44th ,, ,, Warley	215	240	106	132	58	42	1	42	6	95	937	47·3
48th ,, ,, Northampton	179	21	54	45	2	2	2	14	—	16	335	89·5
50th ,, ,, Maidstone	32	84	16	43	51	127†	12	9	4	50	428	27·6
57th ,, ,, Mill Hill	624	124	51	129	42	52	—	6	3	97	1,128	83·4
Total, Eastern Command	2,276	1,552	849	1,064	592	551	79	183	61	878	8,085	59·4
Irish Command.												
18th Regtl. Rectng. Area, Clonmel	347	127	48	60	12	8	—	24	3	23	652	73·2
27th ,, ,, Omagh	243	17	35	34	4	8	—	9	—	7	357	93·4
83rd ,, ,, Belfast	227	140	69	49	3	8	1	37	1	69	604	61·9
87th ,, ,, Armagh	199	30	39	16	14	4	—	3	1	25	331	87·0
88th ,, ,, Galway	138	32	5	19	4	—	1	9	—	21	229	81·2
100th ,, ,, Mullingar	125	66	20	13	3	1	1	21	—	4	254	65·4
101st ,, ,, Cork	239	135	18	84	26	20	—	32	—	37	641	63·9
102nd ,, ,, Dublin	208	180	20	29	46	22	4	60	2	82	653	53·6
Total, Irish Command	1,726	727	254	304	112	71	7	245	7	268	3,721	70·4

* Merged into 28th Regimental Recruiting Area, Bristol, in December, 1919. † Includes Recruits raised by Registration Officer, Chatham.

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Recruiting Areas.	For the Territorial Regiment of the Recruiting Area.	Other Infantry Regiments.	Cavalry of the Line and Household Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Foot Guards.	Tank Corps.	Other Corps.	Total.	Percentage of Infantry Recruits who joined the Territorial Regiment of the Regimental Recruiting Area.
Guernsey and Alderney District	—	63	2	11	9	6	—	—	—	11	102	....
Jersey District	—	20	—	7	6	8	—	—	3	5	49	....
Total, Channel Islands	—	83	2	18	15	14	—	—	3	16	151	....
London Recruiting Area	—	3,569	688	654	281	656	58	707	82	1,073	7,768	....
English Recruiting Areas*	7,492	10,410	3,330	4,098	1,765	2,639	237	2,833	418	4,529	37,751	62·4
Welsh Recruiting Areas	288	396	70	153	66	61	—	165	1	80	1,280	53·8
Scottish Recruiting Areas	490	1,276	270	223	41	152	6	321	31	220	3,030	67·8
Irish Recruiting Areas....	1,726	727	254	304	112	71	7	245	7	268	3,721	70·4
Grand Total	9,996	12,809	3,924	4,778	1,984	2,923	250	3,564	457	5,097	45,782	63·6

* Includes the Channel Islands.

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TABLE 2.—RECRUITS RAISED BY THE DIFFERENT RECRUITING AGENCIES for periods of 2, 3 and 4 YEARS under Army Orders 155 and 413 of 1919, during the year ending 25th September, 1920.

Recruiting Areas.	For the Territorial Regiment of the Recruiting Area.	Other Infantry Regiments.	Cavalry of the Line and Household Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Foot Guards.	Tank Corps.	Other Corps.	Total.	Percentage of Infantry Recruits who joined the Territorial Regiment of the Regimental Recruiting Area.
SCOTTISH COMMAND.												
1st Regtl. Rectng. Area, Glencorse	3	6	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	2	12	33·3
21st ,, ,, Ayr	16	2	1	1	1	1	....	....	1	9	32	88·8
25th ,, ,, Berwick	10	7	2	1	....	3	....	....	1	5	29	58·8
26th ,, ,, Hamilton	8	11	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	1	21	42·0
42nd ,, ,, Perth	3	20	....	....	....	12	....	....	....	16	51	13·0
71st ,, ,, Hamilton	4	5	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	11	44·4
72nd ,, ,, Fort George	....	2	....	....	1	1	....	....	....	1	5	....
75th ,, ,, Aberdeen	....	3	1	2	1	6	....	....	....	20	33	....
79th ,, ,, Inverness	2	7	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	6	17	22·2
91st ,, ,, Stirling	7	15	....	5	....	6	1	1	....	33	68	31·9
Total, Regtl. Recruiting Areas	53	78	4	11	3	32	1	1	2	94	279	40·5
Dundee City Recruiting Area	....	52	....	9	7	7	....	3	....	43	121	....
Glasgow ,, ,, ,, ...	....	172	5	18	7	44	2	7	1	676	932	....
Edinburgh City ,, ,, ...	....	101	14	20	14	47	....	19	....	124	339	....
Total, City Recruiting Areas	....	325	19	47	28	98	2	29	1	843	1,392	....
Total, Scottish Command	53	403	23	58	31	130	3	30	3	937	1,671	....

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Recruiting Areas.	For the Territorial Regiment of the Recruiting Area.	Other Infantry Regiments.	Cavalry of the Line and Household Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Foot Guards.	Tank Corps.	Other Corps.	Total.	Percentage of Infantry Recruits who joined the Territorial Regiment of the Regimental Recruiting Area.
WESTERN COMMAND.												
4th Regtl. Rectng. Area, Lancaster	2	13	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	6	22	13·3
8th ,, ,, Seaforth	29	28	....	6	....	5	....	2	....	12	82	50·9
20th ,, ,, Bury	5	36	....	2	3	9	....	4	1	18	78	12·2
22nd ,, ,, Chester	40	23	....	2	....	1	1	....	....	34	101	63·5
23rd ,, ,, Wrexham	4	42	....	4	5	35	....	1	....	48	139	8·7
24th ,, ,, Brecon	15	29	....	6	3	18	2	....	....	28	101	34·0
30th ,, ,, Preston	48	12	....	9	....	11	3	....	1	46	130	80·0
34th ,, ,, Carlisle	10	16	1	2	3	9	....	....	....	42	83	38·4
40th ,, ,, Warrington	41	20	1	8	2	5	....	....	....	23	100	67·2
41st ,, ,, Cardiff	47	48	1	14	3	14	....	1	....	27	155	49·5
47th ,, ,, Preston	42	6	....	5	1	3	1	1	....	18	77	87·5
53rd ,, ,, Shrewsbury	48	3	1	2	1	2	1	....	....	36	94	94·1
63rd ,, ,, Ashton-under Lyne	2	93	1	5	1	12	1	5	....	84	204	2·2
Total, Regtl. Recruiting Areas	333	369	5	65	23	124	9	14	2	422	1,366	47·4
Cardiff City Recruiting Area	....	85	3	21	14	3	....	11	....	26	163	....
Liverpool ,, ,, ...	....	117	8	34	10	110	6	12	....	227	524	....
Manchester ,, ,, ...	....	271	1	22	6	78	....	....	1	208	587	....
Total, City Recruiting Areas	....	473	12	77	30	191	6	23	1	461	1,274	....
Total, Western Command	333	842	17	142	53	315	15	37	3	883	2,640	....

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NORTHERN COMMAND.												
Northumberland County Rectng. Area	1	70	1	5	....	48	....	1	2	94	222	1·4
Durham ,, ,, ,,	....	10	....	....	3	9	1	....	1	38	62	....
North Riding ,, ,, ,,	12	33	2	7	6	8	....	6	....	30	109	24·0
West Riding ,, ,, ,,	84	136	14	44	8	62	4	5	5	155	517	38·2
East Riding ,, ,, ,,	....	40	....	....	1	7	1	....	....	43	92	....
Lincolnshire ,, ,, ,,	40	5	1	3	2	18	2	....	1	42	114	88·8
Leicestershire ,, ,, ,,	53	7	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	14	76	88·3
Derbyshire ,, ,, ,,	....	35	....	14	4	2	....	....	....	13	68	....
Nottinghamshire ,, ,, ,,	4	89	3	10	2	34	3	4	2	65	216	4·3
Staffordshire ,, ,, ,,	22	22	3	16	4	8	....	....	....	78	153	50·0
Total, County Recruiting Areas....	216	452	24	99	30	196	12	16	12	572	1,629	32·3
Sheffield City Recruiting Area....	....	58	....	12	4	37	....	7	1	200	319	....
Sunderland ,, ,, ...	....	82	1	6	1	4	....	....	1	24	119	....
Wolverhampton ,, ,, ...	....	63	1	7	....	12	....	15	....	12	110	....
Total, City Recruiting Areas	....	203	2	25	5	53	....	22	2	236	548	....
Total, Northern Command	216	655	26	124	35	249	12	38	14	808	2,177	....
SOUTHERN COMMAND												
6th Regtl. Rectng. Area, Warwick	6	43	2	7	....	11	1	3	....	55	128	12·2
11th ,, ,, Exeter	....	34	1	3	12	23	3	4	1	170	251	....
13th ,, ,, Taunton	4	23	....	6	8	7	....	4	1	36	89	14·7
28th ,, ,, Bristol	2	42	1	10	1	3	1	....	....	29	89	4·5
29th ,, ,, Worcester	65	3	1	13	3	2	....	....	....	11	98	95·5
32nd ,, ,, Bodmin	38	4	....	2	7	16	1	....	....	28	96	90·4
37th ,, ,, Winchester....	2	47	2	25	10	48	2	5	4	218	363	4·0
39th ,, ,, Dorchester	4	9	5	4	5	6	1	....	3	6	43	30·8
43rd ,, ,, Oxford	11	4	....	5	2	2	4	1	....	26	55	73·3
49th ,, ,, Reading	10	19	....	1	2	21	2	2	....	35	92	34·5
62nd ,, ,, Devizes	9	2	....	4	1	6	2	....	....	21	45	82·0
Total, Regtl. Rectng. Areas	151	230	12	80	51	145	17	19	9	635	1,349	39·6

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Recruiting Areas.	For the Territorial Regiment of the Recruiting Area.	Other Infantry Regiments.	Cavalry of the Line and Household Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Foot Guards.	Tank Corps.	Other Corps.	Total.	Percentage of Infantry Recruits who joined the Territorial Regiment of the Regimental Recruiting Area.
SOUTHERN COMMAND—*continued.*												
Birmingham City Recruiting Area	....	119	2	11	11	55	....	1	3	172	374	....
*Bristol ,, ,, ...	....	10	....	3	3	....	....	....	....	7	23	....
Total, City Recruiting Areas	....	129	2	14	14	55	....	1	3	179	397	....
Total, Southern Command	151	359	14	94	65	200	17	20	12	814	1,746	....
EASTERN COMMAND.												
2nd Regtl. Rectng. Area, Guildford	6	11	1	2	2	18	....	2	....	32	74	35·3
3rd ,, ,, Canterbury....	31	24	5	4	11	31	4	....	....	89	199	56·3
7th ,, ,, Hounslow	8	67	1	7	7	2	7	1	....	98	198	10·7
9th ,, ,, Norwich	2	5	3	2	10	38	....	....	2	80	142	28·5
12th ,, ,, Bury St. Edmunds	14	15	4	20	4	15	....	....	....	72	144	48·2
16th ,, ,, Bedford	10	17	4	1	2	14	1	....	1	31	81	37·0
31st ,, ,, Kingston	7	50	1	10	9	17	....	....	....	83	177	12·3
35th ,, ,, Chichester	5	22	2	11	12	44	26	3	3	63	191	18·5
44th ,, ,, Warley	12	24	2	1	....	29	....	....	....	23	91	33·3
48th ,, ,, Northampton	33	18	2	2	1	1	....	....	....	13	70	64·7
50th ,, ,, Maidstone	1	4	1	2	4	4	3	....	....	46	65	20·0
57th ,, ,, Mill Hill	6	12	....	3	1	17	....	....	2	58	99	33·3
Total, Eastern Command	135	269	26	65	63	230	41	6	8	688	1,531	33·4

* Merged into 28th Regimental Area, Bristol, in December, 1919.

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IRISH COMMAND.												
18th Regtl. Rectng. Area, Clonmel	103	47	2	7	7	23	....	2	....	52	243	68·8
27th ,, ,, Omagh	81	16	....	1	5	6	....	1	....	8	118	83·5
83rd ,, ,, Belfast	95	160	6	19	8	20	1	1	....	222	532	37·2
87th ,, ,, Armagh	81	19	7	5	9	10	1	....	....	91	223	81·0
88th ,, ,, Galway	67	15	1	9	....	2	4	....	....	24	122	81·7
100th ,, ,, Mullingar	39	34	3	4	....	2	2	2	....	3	89	53·4
101st ,, ,, Cork	76	84	6	24	18	6	....	4	....	147	365	47·5
102nd ,, ,, Dublin	46	78	8	15	18	17	....	4	1	102	289	37·0
Total, Irish Command	588	453	33	84	65	86	8	14	1	649	1,981	56·5
Guernsey and Alderney District	....	29	....	2	1	....	....	....	1	5	38	....
Jersey District	....	2	....	1	....	3	....	....	1	....	7	....
Total, Channel Islands	....	31	....	3	1	3	....	....	2	5	45	....
London Recruiting Area	....	698	28	187	47	290	41	15	6	1,032	2,344	....
English Recruiting Areas*	769	2,650	107	570	239	1,217	124	103	45	4,101	9,925	38·1
Welsh ,, ,, ...	66	204	4	45	25	70	2	13	....	129	558	35·7
Scottish ,, ,, ...	53	403	23	58	31	130	3	30	3	937	1,671	40·5
Irish ,, ,, ...	588	453	33	84	65	86	8	14	1	649	1,981	56·5
Grand Total	1,476	3,710	167	757	360	1,503	137	160	49	5,816	14,135	44·4

* Includes the Channel Islands.

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TABLE 3.—RECRUITS RAISED BY THE DIFFERENT RECRUITING AGENCIES for a period of **One Year** under Army Order 238 of 1919, during the year ending 25th September, 1920.

Recruiting Areas.	Infantry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Tank Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps, H.T. and Supply.	Royal Army Service Corps, M.T. Branch.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Military Foot Police.	Military Mounted Police.	Corps of Military Accountants.	Royal Army Pay Corp.	Other Corps.	Total.
SCOTTISH COMMAND.																	
1st Regimental Recruiting Area, Glencorse ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21st ,, ,, ,, Ayr	11	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	18
25th ,, ,, ,, Berwick ...	17	...	...	...	...	...	5	8	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37
26th ,, ,, ,, Hamilton ...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
42nd ,, ,, ,, Perth	15	...	...	2	...	...	3	3	5	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	32
71st ,, ,, ,, Hamilton ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
72nd ,, ,, ,, Fort George ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
75th ,, ,, ,, Aberdeen ...	59	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	4	105	...	...	...	...	...	...	173
79th ,, ,, ,, Inverness ...	9	1	...	2	...	...	6	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	22
91st ,, ,, ,, Stirling ...	9	...	...	3	...	...	5	4	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	25
Total, Regimental Recruiting Areas	125	2	...	7	...	...	25	25	16	111	...	1	...	4	...	...	316
Dundee City Recruiting Area	69	...	...	3	...	...	5	7	1	7	3	...	...	...	...	...	95
Glasgow ,, ,, ...	167	1	...	22	...	...	27	30	3	10	...	14	1	...	...	...	275
Edinburgh ,, ,, ...	74	3	...	25	1	...	18	19	98	37	...	49	1	3	...	...	328
Total, City Recruiting Areas	310	4	...	50	1	...	50	56	102	54	3	63	2	3	...	...	698
Total, Scottish Command	435	6	...	57	1	...	75	81	118	165	3	64	2	7	...	...	1,014
WESTERN COMMAND.																	
4th Regimental Recruiting Area, Lancaster ...	12	...	...	...	...	...	8	23	49	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	116
8th ,, ,, ,, Seaforth ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
20th ,, ,, ,, Bury	37	2	...	1	...	...	11	8	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	61
22nd ,, ,, ,, Chester ...	24	...	...	4	...	...	7	13	...	3	...	20	...	...	...	...	80
23rd ,, ,, ,, Wrexham ...	45	...	...	2	...	...	16	6	9	25	...	...	...	...	...	1	104

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24th Regimental Recruiting Area, Brecon ...	41	...	...	2	...	...	6	4	4	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	59
30th ,, ,, ,, Preston ...	27	...	...	1	...	...	13	13	47	15	1	...	...	1	...	...	118
34th ,, ,, ,, Carlisle ...	51	...	...	2	...	...	2	7	32	9	...	...	1	1	...	...	105
40th ,, ,, ,, Warrington ...	39	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	47
41st ,, ,, ,, Cardiff ...	41	...	...	5	...	...	18	8	8	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	93
47th ,, ,, ,, Preston ...	33	...	...	3	...	...	8	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	52
53rd ,, ,, ,, Shrewsbury ...	11	...	...	4	...	...	17	11	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	47
63rd ,, ,, ,, Ashton-under-Lyne ...	70	...	...	1	...	...	3	16	4	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	101
Total, Regimental Recruiting Areas	431	2	...	25	...	...	114	119	156	102	1	31	1	4	...	1	987
Cardiff City Recruiting Area	3	...	...	1	...	...	4	6	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
Liverpool ,, ,, ...	155	1	...	7	...	...	119	54	3	18	...	...	...	2	...	...	359
Manchester ,, ,, ...	120	1	1	3	...	...	43	62	51	100	4	6	...	...	1	...	392
Total, City Recruiting Areas	278	2	1	11	...	...	166	122	67	118	4	6	...	2	1	...	778
Total, Western Command	709	4	1	36	...	...	280	241	223	220	5	37	1	6	1	1	1,765
NORTHERN COMMAND.																	
Northumberland County Recruiting Area ...	192	...	...	5	...	...	45	2	70	49	1	5	...	...	...	...	369
Durham ,, ,, ,, ...	105	...	...	24	...	...	5	...	...	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	160
North Riding ,, ,, ,, ...	43	...	...	2	...	...	15	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	64
West Riding ,, ,, ,, ...	141	3	...	8	...	...	52	26	75	23	4	9	4	5	...	...	350
East Riding ,, ,, ,, ...	117	...	...	6	...	...	21	1	1	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	150
Lincolnshire ,, ,, ,, ...	28	...	...	2	...	...	11	17	2	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	65
Leicestershire ,, ,, ,, ...	45	1	...	1	...	...	1	10	1	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	63
Derbyshire ,, ,, ,, ...	23	...	...	2	...	...	3	1	5	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	38
Nottinghamshire ,, ,, ,, ...	134	2	1	10	...	...	37	17	49	4	...	3	...	3	...	...	260
Staffordshire ,, ,, ,, ...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	37
Total, County Recruiting Areas	844	6	1	60	...	...	190	95	205	113	7	19	5	11	...	...	1,556
Sheffield City Recruiting Area	197	1	...	10	...	...	25	45	32	31	...	4	2	...	...	11	358
Sunderland ,, ,, ,, ...	102	...	...	12	...	...	5	2	...	5	2	3	...	...	...	...	131
Wolverhampton ,, ,, ,, ...	27	1	...	1	...	...	...	28	7	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	67
Total, City Recruiting Areas	326	2	...	23	...	...	30	75	39	38	2	8	2	...	...	11	556
Total, Northern Command	1,170	8	1	83	...	...	220	170	244	151	9	27	7	11	...	11	2,112

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TABLE 3—*continued.*—RECRUITS RAISED BY THE DIFFERENT RECRUITING AGENCIES for a period of **One Year** under Army Order 238 of 1919, during the year ending 25th September, 1920.

Recruiting Areas.	Infantry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Tank Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps, H.T. and Supply.	Royal Army Service Corps, M.T. Branch.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Military Foot Police.	Military Mounted Police.	Corps of Military Accountants.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Other Corps.	Total.
SOUTHERN COMMAND.																	
6th Regimental Recruiting Area, Warwick ...	22	...	...	3	...	...	21	16	1	4	...	1	...	2	...	...	70
11th ,, ,, ,, Exeter ...	120	2	2	4	...	...	39	31	28	91	1	8	1	8	1	...	336
13th ,, ,, ,, Taunton ...	34	...	1	...	...	...	21	4	5	7	...	...	4	3	...	...	79
28th ,, ,, ,, Bristol ...	10	2	...	9	...	...	22	15	18	49	...	5	...	3	...	...	133
29th ,, ,, ,, Worcester ...	15	...	...	4	...	...	9	...	14	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	46
32nd ,, ,, ,, Bodmin ...	16	...	...	...	...	...	9	4	2	9	...	...	...	1	...	...	41
37th ,, ,, ,, Winchester ...	66	1	...	12	...	...	62	24	31	46	3	25	3	7	...	...	280
39th ,, ,, ,, Dorchester ...	23	...	...	2	...	...	17	3	...	...	...	10	2	2	...	...	59
43rd ,, ,, ,, Oxford ...	17	1	...	2	1	...	5	9	...	27	...	5	...	...	...	...	67
49th ,, ,, ,, Reading ...	9	...	...	2	...	...	15	6	...	18	1	4	...	1	...	...	56
62nd ,, ,, ,, Devizes ...	18	...	...	1	...	...	3	4	1	2	...	3	1	...	...	...	33
Total, Regimental Recruiting Areas	350	6	3	39	1	...	223	116	100	254	7	61	12	27	1	...	1,200
Birmingham City Recruiting Area	92	3	...	17	...	...	31	63	7	62	1	23	...	1	...	...	300
*Bristol ,, ,, ...	1	...	...	1	...	1	6	...	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	17
Total, City Recruiting Areas	93	3	...	18	...	1	37	63	14	63	1	23	...	1	...	...	317
Total, Southern Command	443	9	3	57	1	1	260	179	114	317	8	84	12	28	1	...	1,517
EASTERN COMMAND.																	
2nd Regimental Recruiting Area, Guildford ...	10	...	...	9	...	...	14	15	4	3	...	2	1	6	1	...	65
3rd ,, ,, ,, Canterbury ...	9	...	...	6	...	...	17	3	...	57	...	2	1	4	...	...	99
7th ,, ,, ,, Hounslow ...	165	...	...	1	1	...	29	18	24	47	2	5	...	2	...	1	295
9th ,, ,, ,, Norwich ...	19	2	...	4	...	...	39	8	2	11	...	1	...	2	...	...	88
12th ,, ,, ,, Bury St. Edmunds ...	49	...	...	1	...	...	30	7	2	3	...	2	...	1	...	...	95
16th ,, ,, ,, Bedford ...	38	...	...	4	...	...	9	3	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	59

* Merged into 28th Regimental Area, Bristol, in December, 1919.

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31st Regimental Recruiting Area.	Kingston	...	31	1	...	1	...	...	35	44	20	8	...	2	...	...	...	...	142
35th ,, ,, ,,	Chichester	...	28	...	1	18	...	...	50	17	61	28	6	2	1	1	2	...	215
44th ,, ,, ,,	Warley	...	27	2	...	7	...	...	49	7	...	8	1	1	...	...	...	...	102
48th ,, ,, ,,	Northampton	...	12	...	...	1	...	...	...	16	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	31
50th ,, ,, ,,	Maidstone	...	8	...	...	3	...	...	4	3	12	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	33
57th ,, ,, ,,	Mill Hill	...	4	...	...	3	...	...	12	3	2	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	27
Total, Eastern Command		...	400	5	1	58	1	...	288	144	131	171	10	18	4	16	3	1	1,251
IRISH COMMAND.																			
18th Regimental Recruiting Area,	Clonmel	...	94	4	...	2	...	...	9	7	2	22	13	3	1	...	...	...	157
27th ,, ,, ,,	Omagh	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	1	4	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	13
83rd ,, ,, ,,	Belfast	...	29	...	...	5	...	...	9	47	79	12	...	2	...	1	...	...	184
87th ,, ,, ,,	Armagh	...	8	3	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	18
88th ,, ,, ,,	Galway	...	17	3	...	...	...	...	4	3	72	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	106
100th ,, ,, ,,	Mullingar	...	39	1	...	2	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46
101st ,, ,, ,,	Cork ...	...	86	4	...	1	...	...	16	4	71	26	1	4	...	...	...	...	213
102nd ,, ,, ,,	Dublin...	...	42	...	...	5	2	...	17	15	4	27	...	24	...	3	...	...	139
Total, Irish Command		...	318	15	...	16	2	...	60	82	233	94	15	34	2	4	...	1	876
Guernsey and Alderney District ...		...	3	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	1	13	...	1	...	...	...	...	22
Jersey District		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Total, Channel Islands		...	3	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	2	17	...	1	...	...	...	...	28
London Recruiting Area		...	1,092	7	7	125	2	...	794	226	325	123	10	127	9	65	...	...	2,912
English Recruiting Areas*		...	3,687	33	13	349	4	1	1,803	936	1,005	960	42	294	33	125	5	12	9,302
Welsh ,, ,, ...		...	130	...	...	10	...	...	44	24	34	39	...	...	...	1	...	1	283
Scottish ,, ,, ...		...	435	6	...	57	1	...	75	81	118	165	3	64	2	7	...	...	1,014
Irish ,, ,, ...		...	318	15	...	16	2	...	60	82	233	94	15	34	2	4	...	1	876
Grand Total		...	4,570	54	13	432	7	1	1,982	1,123	1,390	1,258	60	392	37	137	5	14	11,475

* Includes the Channel Islands.

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TABLE 4.—RECRUITS RAISED BY ALL RECRUITING AGENCIES for periods of ONE AND TWO YEARS under Army Order 192 of 1920 during the year ending 25th September, 1920, for service with certain specified Infantry Regiments serving in Ireland.

All Commands.	Royal Scots Regiment.	East Kent Regiment.	Royal Lancaster Regiment.	Norfolk Regiment.	Lincolnshire Regiment.	Somerset Light Infantry.	East Yorkshire Regiment.	Leicestershire Regiment.	Yorkshire Regiment.	Cheshire Regiment.	Royal Welch Fusiliers.	Scottish Rifles.	Worcestershire Regiment.	East Lancashire Regiment.	Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.	West Riding Regiment.	Border Regiment.	South Staffordshire Regiment.	Dorsetshire Regiment.	South Lancashire Regiment.	Welch Regiment.	Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry.	Essex Regiment.	Northamptonshire Regiment.	Royal Berkshire Regiment.	King's Shropshire Light Infantry.	Wiltshire Regiment.	Manchester Regiment.	North Staffordshire Regiment.	Cameron Highlanders.	Total.†
Period—																														
1 year ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	1	16
2 years ...	1	3	...	...	1	4	4	1	2	2	1	...	4	...	1	4	...	2	2	2	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	39
Total ...	1	3	...	...	2	4	6	1	3	2	1	...	6	...	1	5	...	3	2	2	2	1	1	2	...	1	...	2	1	3	55

† In addition to this number, 173 Section B Army Reservists rejoined the Colours under Army Order 192 of 1920 (48 for 1 year and 125 for 2 years.)

TABLE 5.—SUMMARY OF TABLES 1 TO 4.

——	Infantry of the Line.		Cavalry of the Line, including Household Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Foot Guards.	Tank Corps.	Re-enlisted into Infantry Regiments under Army Order 192 of 1920.	Other Corps.	Totals.	Percentage of Infantry Recruits who joined the Territorial Regiment of the Regimental Recruiting Areas.
	For the Territorial Regiment of the Recruiting Areas.	Other Infantry Regiments.											
English Recruiting Areas* ...	8,261	16,747	3,437	4,701	2,017	4,205	365	2,936	464	50	13,845	57,028	59·1
Welsh ,, ,, ...	354	730	74	198	91	141	2	178	1	3	352	2,124	49·2
Scottish ,, ,, ...	543	2,114	293	287	72	339	10	351	34	2	1,672	5,717	63·6
Irish ,, ,, ...	2,314	1,498	287	403	177	173	17	259	8	...	1,442	6,578	66·2
Total, All Commands ...	11,472	21,089	4,091	5,589	2,357	4,858	394	3,724	507	55†	17,311	71,447	60·3

* Includes the Channel Islands. † In addition to this number, 173 Section B Army Reservists rejoined the Colours under Army Order 192 of 1920.

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TABLE 6.—Numbers rejected, attested and finally approved, etc., at Home, during the year 1919-1920.

——	Normal Engagements.	Army Orders 155 &413 of 1919.	Army Order 238 of 1919.	Army Order 192 of 1920.†	Total.
Served with Notice Papers	74,736	25,940	19,065	85	119,826
Casualties before Attestation—					
Rejected by recruiters or recruiting officers for physical reasons	5,633	2,117	1,195	....	8,945
Rejected by medical officers for physical reasons	15,501	6,619	4,270	13	26,403
Failed to appear for attestation	1,637	610	332	5	2,584
Rejected by recruiters or recruiting officers for other than physical reasons, and other casualties	2,003	611	560	9	3,183
Total casualties before Attestation	24,774	9,957	6,357	27	41,115
Attested	49,962	15,983	12,708	53	78,711
Casualties after Attestation—					
Rejected by medical officers for physical reasons	1,092	486	228	1	1,807
Rejected by approving officers for physical reasons	421	161	212	....	794
Deserted	222	75	45	..	342
Rejected by approving officers for other than physical reasons, and other casualties	2,445	1,126	748	2	4,321
Total casualties after Attestation...	4,180	1,848	1,233	3	7,264
Finally approved .... :...	45,782	14,135	11,475	55	71,447
Deserted after final approval and before joining unit	73	19	1	....	93
Other casualties before joining unit....	18	16	3	....	37
Total	91	35	4	....	130
Joined unit	45,691	14,100	11,471	55	71,317

† In addition to this number, 173 Section B Army Reservists rejoined the Colours under Army Order 192 of 1920.

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TABLE 7.—AGENCIES by which recruits finally approved during the year 1919-1920 were raised.

——	Number of Recruits
Area Recruiting Staffs	29,492
Special Recruiters	16,568
Paid Pensioner Recruiters	19,289
Civilian Recruiting Agents	2,833
N.C.Os. and men on leave, and serving	1,106
*Permanent Staff, Territorial Force	997
Other agencies	1,162
Grand total	71,447

* The Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force did not become an active agency in the recruiting machine of the Regular Army until about June, 1920.

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TABLE 8.—NUMBER OF RECRUITS taken on the strength of Corps, for each Arm, for the year ending 30th September, 1920, showing the numbers who became Non-effective from various causes within Three Months of the Date of Enlistment; showing, also, corresponding particulars (all Arms combined) for the Years 1910–11, 1911–12 and 1912–13.

[This Table relates only to Recruits enlisting upon *Normal Engagements.**]

—	Number of Recruits joined.	Casualties within three months of date of enlistment.									Total serving on Army engagements at the expiration of 3 months from date of enlistment.	Proportion of net casualties per 1,000 recruits joined.
		Died.	Struck off for desertion.	Claimed discharge (by purchase) under Sec. 81, Army Act.	Discharged for fraudulent enlistment, or for making false answers on attestation.	Discharged as not likely to become efficient soldiers.		Discharged for misstatement as to age on enlistment.	Discharged for other causes including net decrease due to transfers to other arms.	Total casualties.	Rejoined from desertion, and net transfers from other arms.		
						For medical reasons.	For other reasons.						
Household Cavalry ...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	99	29·41
Cavalry of the Line ...	3,786	...	251	83	10	...	34	55	89	526	40	3,300	128·36
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	4,774	...	11	18	1	38	11	66	23	168	4	4,610	34·35
Royal Garrison Artillery ...	1,975	2	67	24	...	20	5	27	5	150	9	1,834	71·39
Royal Engineers	2,871	1	39	31	1	11	11	13	40	147	18	2,742	44·93
Royal Corps of Signals ...	87	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	5	8	...	79	91·95
Foot Guards	3,666	3	148	35	8	97	...	59	87	437	32	3,261	110·47
Infantry	22,423	12	1,211	343	140	376	205	541	454	3,282	346	19,487	130·94
Machine Gun Corps ...	831	...	26	...	...	...	27	...	11	64	...	767	77·01
Tank Corps	634	...	20	3	7	15	...	...	10	55	26	605	45·74
Royal Army Service Corps	2,127	2	72	3	...	15	...	7	10	109	13	2,031	45·13
Royal Army Medical Corps	1,490	1	33	...	26	127	122	...	27	336	7	1,161	22·08
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	455	...	14	...	...	5	...	5	3	27	...	428	59·34
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	17	....	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	16	58·82
Corps of Military Accountants	20	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	19	50·0
Total for year ending 30th September, 1920 ...	45,258	25	1,894	540	194	706	415	773	767	5,314	495	40,439	106·48
For years ending :—													
30th September, 1911 ...	29,452	15	321	460	37	516	164	161	233	1,907	90	27,635	61·7
30th September, 1912 ...	30,316	7	372	635	72	486	220	217	233	2,242	79	28,153	71·4
30th September, 1913 ...	28,091	9	399	708	42	455	148	203	233	2,197	101	25,995	74·6

* See notes on page 59.

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TABLE 9.—AGES on attestation of RECRUITS taken on the strength of the Regular Army during the Year ending 30th September, 1920.

(This Table relates only to recruits enlisting upon *Normal Engagements*.)*

Arms.	Under 15 years.	15 to 16 years.	16 to 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 and upwards	Total.
Household Cavalry	4	....	1	1	45	26	7	8	4	3	1	2	102
Cavalry of the Line	70	59	22	120	1,308	999	364	236	164	160	125	159	3,786
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	199	112	21	17	2,286	920	461	278	160	118	115	87	4,774
Royal Garrison Artillery	100	82	13	20	803	421	128	114	85	69	83	57	1,975
Royal Engineers	196	144	11	433	1,432	414	127	40	28	19	19	8	2,871
Royal Corps of Signals	....	2	...	9	38	19	8	5	1	2	2	1	87
Foot Guards	45	49	18	165	1,413	887	390	194	157	110	132	106	3,666
Infantry of the Line	295	342	136	2,499	12,665	3,396	1,104	606	410	330	333	307	22,423
Army Cyclist Corps	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....
Machine Gun Corps	....	9	2	11	189	467	102	23	19	9	....	....	831
Tank Corps	18	21	9	10	240	181	74	25	13	18	10	15	634
Labour Corps	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Army Service Corps	67	54	13	337	839	455	110	80	50	50	34	38	2,127
Royal Army Medical Corps	15	10	....	114	805	187	86	58	50	49	42	74	1,490
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	17	9	1	64	203	70	26	22	10	18	8	7	455
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	....	....	....	9	4	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	17
Royal Army Pay Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Corps of Military Accountants	1	3	1	1	9	4	....	....	....	....	....	1	20
Corps of Military Police	....	...	....	....	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Colonial Corps†	8	3	6	1	173	51	73	25	36	18	28	76	498
Total	1,035	899	254	3,811	22,452	8,501	3,060	1,714	1,187	973	932	938	45,756

* See notes on page 59.

† Incomplete; the numbers do not include Recruits for the West India Regiment, or for the Hong Kong—Singapore Battalion, R.G.A.

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TABLE 10.—AGES on attestation of the RECRUITS taken on the strength of the Regular Army in each of the Years 1910–11, 1911–12, 1912–13 and 1919–20.

Year.	Under 15 years.	15 and under 16 years.	16 and under 17 years.	17 and under 18 years.	18 and under 19 years.	19 and under 20 years.	20 and under 21 years.	21 and under 22 years.	22 and under 23 years.	23 and under 24 years.	24 and under 25 years.	25 years and upwards.	Total.
Years ending—													
30th September, 1911	783	694	87	1,085	14,109	6,142	3,157	1,699	1,046	625	463	146	30,036
30th September, 1912	704	729	106	1,419	14,139	6,397	3,289	1,709	1,002	649	516	156	30,815
30th September, 1913	776	713	100	1,293	12,837	5,846	3,020	1,768	1,077	676	483	170	28,759
30th September, 1920*....	1,035	899	254	3,811	22,452	8,501	3,060	1,714	1,187	973	932	938	45,756

Note.—Particulars for the years 1913–14 to 1918–19 inclusive are not available.

* As in the earlier years, the numbers relate only to Recruits enlisting upon *Normal Engagements.* (See notes on p. 59.)

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*TABLE 11.—TRADES of men offering for enlistment during the period from the 1st January, 1920, to 30th September, 1920, with the numbers medically inspected and rejected in each Command.

(*a*) UNSKILLED LABOUR (1st January, 1920, to 30th September, 1920).

—		Commands.									Totals.	
		Aldershot.	Southern.	Eastern.	Irish.	Scottish.	Northern.	Western.	London District.	Channel Islands.	Inspected.	Rejected.
Outdoor Labourers.												
Agricultural, *i.e.* Farm Labourers	Inspected	64	1,308	1,646	998	624	673	817	33	63	6,226	..
	Rejected	20	243	440	196	139	144	303	9	12	..	1,506
Builders	Inspected	7	361	461	106	45	511	276	49	5	1,821	..
	Rejected	1	72	108	33	10	133	113	16	..	..	486
Plumbers	Inspected	4	..	12	11	2	17	..	..	..	46	..
	Rejected	1	..	5	4	1	2	..	..	..	..	13
Painters	Inspected	..	19	15	2	1	..	..	..	..	37	..
	Rejected	..	8	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12
Workers in clay, sand, gravel, etc.	Inspected	..	323	61	28	302	880	236	10	19	1,859	..
	Rejected	..	115	13	14	56	198	86	3	1	..	486
Coalheavers (not Coal Miners)	Inspected	..	45	86	6	23	91	184	19	..	454	..
	Rejected	..	10	22	1	12	30	77	5	..	..	157
Engineers	Inspected	..	18	97	48	32	77	..	218	..	490	..
	Rejected	..	3	26	25	9	3	..	53	..	..	119
Cement Workers	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Coopers	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Railway Companies—												
Platelayers	Inspected	..	38	89	36	140	88	179	14	4	588	..
	Rejected	..	8	32	5	46	17	55	4	2	..	169
Contractors Navvies, etc.	Inspected	1	31	80	26	52	68	43	20	..	321	..
	Rejected	1	13	20	7	18	13	8	8	..	..	88
Wharf and Dock	Inspected	3	50	134	243	207	321	656	150	1	1,765	..
	Rejected	2	7	42	82	63	56	241	53	1	..	547
Indoor Labourers (Factory).												
General	Inspected	3	175	56	22	87	343	569	35	..	1,290	..
	Rejected	2	55	18	4	32	59	155	14	..	..	339
Chemical	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	30	..	..	..	30	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Dye	Inspected	..	..	..	..	3	5	..	..	..	8	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Glass	Inspected	..	..	3	1	8	16	..	..	..	28	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	4
Leather	Inspected	..	13	162	..	..	19	..	..	..	194	..
	Rejected	..	3	25	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	32
Lead	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Match	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Metal	Inspected	..	74	8	..	32	212	300	53	..	679	..
	Rejected	..	21	2	..	10	44	77	17	..	..	171
Mill (General)	Inspected	..	..	..	..	139	..	852	..	..	991	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	26	..	241	..	..	..	267
Paint	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rubber	Inspected	1	..	..	..	19	..	..	..	..	20	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	6
Sugar	Inspected	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
	Rejected	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Textile	Inspected	..	70	7	93	28	274	31	..	..	503	..
	Rejected	..	19	4	31	8	58	12	..	..	..	132
Tinplate	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	8	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Brass Moulders	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ordnance and Arsenal	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small Arms	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Smiths	Inspected	..	2	7	15	1	28	..	103	..	156	..
	Rejected	..	1	1	4	..	1	..	22	..	..	29
Firemen	Inspected	..	13	..	8	22	18	..	21	..	82	..
	Rejected	..	2	..	1	3	1	..	5	..	..	12
Gasworks	Inspected	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..
	Rejected	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1

* Details for the period from the 1st October, 1919, to the 31st December, 1919, are not available.

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TABLE 11—*continued.*—TRADES of men offering for enlistment.

(*a*) UNSKILLED LABOUR—*continued.*

—		Commands.									Totals.	
		Aldershot.	Southern.	Eastern.	Irish.	Scottish.	Northern.	Western.	London District.	Channel Islands.	Inspected.	Rejected.
Indoor Labourers (Factory)—cont.												
Brewery	Inspected	..	3	3	..	16	..	..	..	..	22	..
	Rejected	..	2	1	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	11
Tannery	Inspected	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
	Rejected	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Printers..	Inspected	..	14	9	..	..	4	..	37	..	64	..
	Rejected	..	5	3	..	..	..	..	15	..	..	23
General Casuals.												
(*a*) Town	Inspected	24	1,824	1,230	1,741	1,995	1,728	2,841	1,225	17	12,625	..
	Rejected	5	477	361	432	714	393	1,070	700	6	..	4,158
(*b*) Country	Inspected	41	368	657	510	36	136	..	..	..	1,748	..
	Rejected	13	104	165	125	11	25	..	..	..	..	443
Total ..	Inspected	149	4,749	4,832	3,894	3,814	5,541	6,992	1,987	109	32,067	..
	Rejected	45	1,168	1,295	964	1,173	1,186	2,439	924	22	..	9,216

(*b*) SKILLED LABOUR (1st January, 1920, to 30th September, 1920.)

Bricklayers	Inspected	..	32	77	17	19	37	28	1	..	211	..
	Rejected	..	6	12	3	5	8	12	..	..	..	46
Carpenters	Inspected	9	152	173	85	147	136	71	61	7	846	..
	Rejected	5	27	48	19	34	27	20	17	3	..	200
Plasterers	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Plumbers	Inspected	..	5	9	13	16	18	..	..	..	61	..
	Rejected	..	4	..	5	7	5	..	..	..	..	21
Painters	Inspected	3	32	47	14	46	64	..	5	2	213	..
	Rejected	2	6	13	2	15	13	..	2	..	..	53
Polishers	Inspected	..	..	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	5	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Masons	Inspected	1	21	44	13	14	15	8	..	3	119	..
	Rejected	..	3	8	3	3	5	5	..	1	..	28
Slaters	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Barbers	Inspected	..	..	3	7	..	..	..	..	..	10	..
	Rejected	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Bakers	Inspected	20	165	285	50	92	81	98	65	4	860	..
	Rejected	8	34	79	11	35	16	37	15	1	..	236
Butchers	Inspected	3	115	146	33	48	100	69	11	3	528	..
	Rejected	..	27	32	7	11	18	20	3	..	..	118
Coopers	Inspected	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	4	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cabinet Makers ..	Inspected	..	2	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	7	..
	Rejected	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
Coach Builders and Wheelwrights ..	Inspected	..	3	14	5	..	4	..	..	..	26	..
	Rejected	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Mechanics	Inspected	..	..	36	..	11	397	67	..	5	516	..
	Rejected	..	..	8	..	3	60	17	..	2	..	90
Printers..	Inspected	2	20	34	2	8	19	..	11	..	96	..
	Rejected	1	7	10	..	2	5	..	4	..	..	29
Sawyers	Inspected	..	..	5	6	9	..	..	..	1	20	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
Saddle and Harness Makers	Inspected	..	4	6	21	3	5	..	..	1	40	..
	Rejected	..	1	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
Shoemakers	Inspected	8	88	245	82	80	133	100	46	10	792	..
	Rejected	4	16	70	12	33	27	31	10	2	..	205
Smiths and Farriers	Inspected	10	142	116	92	124	143	113	9	7	756	..
	Rejected	1	23	33	11	29	26	27	4	..	..	154
Rivetters and Fitters ..	Inspected	37	204	35	41	630	66	..	..	4	1,017	..
	Rejected	13	26	12	5	179	6	..	..	1	..	242
Upholsterers	Inspected	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
	Rejected	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Watchmakers and jewellers	Inspected	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tailors	Inspected	3	53	52	65	57	77	93	39	3	442	..
	Rejected	1	12	15	17	17	22	33	19	..	..	136
Brewery	Inspected	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..
	Rejected	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Engineers	Inspected	..	78	181	1	..	30	..	101	..	391	..
	Rejected	..	13	33	..	..	5	..	29	..	..	80

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TABLE 11—*continued.*—TRADES of men offering for enlistment.

(*b*) SKILLED LABOUR (1st January, 1920, to 30th September, 1920)—*continued.*

		Commands.									Totals.	
		Aldershot.	Southern.	Eastern.	Irish	Scottish.	Northern.	Western.	London District.	Channel Islands.	Inspected.	Rejected.
Engine Drivers	Inspected	..	21	28	13	1	21	48	..	..	132	..
	Rejected	..	7	5	2	..	5	9	..	..	..	28
Firemen	Inspected	..	5	11	..	..	24	..	..	..	40	..
	Rejected	..	..	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	5
Gardeners	Inspected	..	..	16	2	1	..	..	..	..	19	..
	Rejected	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Shipwrights	Inspected	..	..	..	88	4	..	..	..	..	92	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	20	1	..	..	..	..	..	21
Tanners	Inspected	..	..	2	..	..	12	..	..	..	14	..
	Rejected	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Smiths (Tin)	Inspected	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	..
	Rejected	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Skilled labour, various	Inspected	..	312	68	5	23	216	651	..	1	1,276	..
	Rejected	..	69	16	..	4	34	227	..	..	..	350
Miners—												
Coal	Inspected	..	131	70	13	706	3,040	1,388	1	1	5,350	..
	Rejected	..	38	12	3	166	426	342	..	1	..	988
Various	Inspected	..	4	57	..	95	244	120	2	3	525	..
	Rejected	..	..	9	..	38	22	45	1	..	..	115
Millers	Inspected	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Indoor.												
Skilled Labour Workers—												
Various	Inspected	..	35	148	34	116	1,164	703	..	..	2,200	..
	Rejected	..	5	36	5	19	296	223	..	..	..	584
Bootworks	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Brushworks	Inspected	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Glass	Inspected	..	..	12	..	..	12	..	..	..	24	..
	Rejected	..	..	1	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	5
Leather	Inspected	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Metal	Inspected	..	914	176	1	115	5	..	..	..	1,211	..
	Rejected	..	266	34	..	31	..	..	..	..	..	331
Rubber	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Textile	Inspected	..	15	18	271	8	625	..	3	..	940	..
	Rejected	..	3	3	83	5	128	..	1	..	..	223
Motor Drivers	Inspected	..	191	155	114	21	152	..	250	..	883	..
	Rejected	..	46	26	16	3	28	..	80	..	..	199
Total	Inspected	96	2,746	2,288	1,095	2,396	6,853	3,557	605	54	19,690	..
	Rejected	35	640	533	234	641	1,190	1,048	185	11	..	4,517

(*c*) OCCUPATIONS CLASSIFIED SEPARATELY (1st January, 1920, to 30th September, 1920.)

Carmen and Carters	Inspected	23	728	1,233	289	789	908	1,306	344	34	5,654	..
	Rejected	3	207	394	92	288	187	440	79	10	..	1,700
Costermongers and Hawkers	Inspected	1	24	95	24	43	73	44	35	4	343	..
	Rejected	..	4	28	9	12	17	14	11	..	..	95
Fishermen	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Boatmen	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Porters—												
General	Inspected	..	39	..	..	13	..	..	..	12	64	..
	Rejected	..	18	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	24
Indoor, heavy	Inspected	..	19	135	45	11	41	49	41	1	342	..
	Rejected	..	3	39	5	7	8	30	7	1	..	100
,, light	Inspected	..	45	36	23	23	19	47	32	..	225	..
	Rejected	..	15	12	8	6	9	22	5	..	..	77
Outdoor, heavy	Inspected	..	16	91	15	1	20	8	60	..	211	..
	Rejected	..	4	12	1	..	6	3	12	..	..	38
,, light	Inspected	..	17	25	80	4	4	4	27	..	161	..
	Rejected	..	6	4	28	..	..	2	7	..	..	47

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TABLE 11—*continued.*—TRADES of men offering for enlistment.

(*c*) OCCUPATIONS CLASSIFIED SEPARATELY (1st January, 1920, to 30th September, 1920)—*continued.*

		Commands.									Totals.	
		Aldershot.	Southern.	Eastern.	Irish.	Scottish.	Northern.	Western.	London District.	Channel Islands.	Inspected.	Rejected.
Telegraph Messengers and Postmen	Inspected	2	22	61	50	13	7	14	30	4	203	..
	Rejected	1	5	20	12	5	1	3	5	2	..	54
Railway Porters	Inspected	3	38	49	12	38	67	90	7	..	304	..
	Rejected	1	3	28	5	15	10	29	2	..	..	93
Ships' Stewards	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Domestic Servants—												
Indoor	Inspected	15	105	147	47	117	73	38	111	10	663	..
	Rejected	4	37	28	11	46	14	8	29	1	..	178
Outdoor	Inspected	52	78	141	95	42	57	86	98	1	650	..
	Rejected	9	15	25	20	15	7	35	15	..	..	141
Tradesmen's Assistants—												
Indoor	Inspected	38	240	339	139	207	295	272	206	8	1,744	..
	Rejected	10	41	81	29	85	44	104	53	..	..	447
Outdoor	Inspected	18	104	91	22	165	87	61	143	10	701	..
	Rejected	2	27	34	2	63	7	18	29	3	..	185
Builders Assistants	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Barmen and Cellarmen	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	11	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	3
Clerks	Inspected	43	487	321	277	219	489	352	140	9	2,346	..
	Rejected	12	91	53	50	62	76	86	37	1	..	468
Various	Inspected	..	70	198	29	128	99	414	7	2	947	..
	Rejected	..	13	54	3	32	11	139	3	..	..	255
Total	Inspected	195	2,032	2,962	1,147	1,813	2,239	2,785	1,301	95	14,569	..
	Rejected	42	489	812	275	641	397	933	297	19	..	3,905

(*d*) PROFESSIONAL OCCUPATIONS, STUDENTS, &c. (1st January, 1920, to 30th September, 1920).

Actors	Inspected	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chemists	Inspected	1	1	8	..	1	..	3	..	..	14	..
	Rejected	1	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	5
Dentists	Inspected	..	1	..	1	7	..	9	..	..	18	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	1	2	..	2	..	..	..	5
Draughtsmen	Inspected	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..
	Rejected	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Electricians	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Engineers	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Farmers	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	9	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Musicians	Inspected	3	10	26	5	10	21	26	42	1	144	..
	Rejected	..	2	5	..	3	3	13	8	..	..	34
Photographers	Inspected	..	5	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	8	..
	Rejected	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
Policemen	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Schoolmasters and Teachers	Inspected	12	6	1	2	..	..	1	..	1	23	..
	Rejected	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Students—												
Law	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Medical	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	6	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Various	Inspected	3	2	4	15	19	..	..	..	..	43	..
	Rejected	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	3
Surveyors	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Seamen	Inspected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Telegraphists	Inspected	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..
	Rejected	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Professional occupations, various	Inspected	1	15	9	..	11	8	19	..	..	63	..
	Rejected	..	2	1	..	3	3	4	..	..	..	13
Total	Inspected	20	40	59	23	53	35	59	42	11	342	..
	Rejected	1	9	10	1	11	7	21	8	1	..	69

[*Continued.*

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TABLE 11—*continued.*—TRADES of men offering for enlistment.

(*e*) BOYS UNDER 17 YEARS OF AGE (1st January, 1920, to 30th September, 1920).

		Commands.									Totals.	
		Aldershot.	Southern.	Eastern.	Irish.	Scottish.	Northern.	Western.	London District.	Channel Islands.	Inspected.	Rejected.
Boys under 17 years	Inspected	77	542	343	58	95	172	135	110	35	1,567	..
	Rejected	7	42	39	3	15	15	18	19	8	..	166

RECAPITULATION.

(Period from 1st January, 1920, to 30th September, 1920.)

	Medical Inspections.	Medical Rejections.
"*a*" Unskilled labour	32,067	9,216
"*b*" Skilled labour	19,690	4,517
"*c*" Occupations classified separately ..	14,569	3,905
"*d*" Professional occupations, students, etc. ..	342	69
"*e*" Boys under 17 years	1,567	166
Total	68,235	17,873

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NOTES ON TERMS OF ENLISTMENT.

Current Terms of Engagement.

(A) Normal Engagements.

1. *Long Service.*—12 years with the colours.

2. *Short Service.*—as follows :—

	With the Colours.	In the Reserve.	Date of Introduction.	Army Order.
Household Cavalry	8	4	15th Dec., 1903	No. 209
Cavalry of the Line	7	5	1st Sept., 1905	No. 168
,, ,, *	9	3	12th Jan., 1920	....
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	6	6	3rd Aug., 1906	No. 209
Royal Garrison Artillery	8	4	3rd Aug., 1906	No. 209
Royal Engineers	6	6	1st May, 1912	No. 158
,, ,, *	9	3	12th Jan., 1920	....
Royal Corps of Signals	6	6	2nd July, 1920	No. 275
,, ,, *	9	3	2nd July, 1920	....
Foot Guards	{ 7 / 3	5 / 9 }	28th May, 1920	No. 196
,, ,, *	9	3	12th Jan., 1920	....
Infantry of the Line	7	5	3rd Aug., 1906	No. 209
,, ,, *	9	3	12th Jan., 1920	....
Tank Corps	7	5	15th Jan., 1919	....
Royal Army Service Corps (H.T. & Supply)	7	5	15th Jan., 1919	....
Royal Army Service Corps (Clerks only)*	9	3	12th Jan., 1920	....
Royal Army Service Corps (M.T.)	7	5	Dec., 1907	No. 286
,, ,, ,, *	9	3	12th Jan., 1920	....
Royal Army Medical Corps	7	5	15th Jan., 1919	....
,, ,, *	9	3	12th Jan., 1920	....
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	6	6	1st Jan., 1911	No. 73
,, ,, *	9	3	12th Jan., 1920	....
Corps of Military Accountants	7	5	22nd Nov.,1919	No. 405
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	6	6	15th Jan., 1919	....

* For youths between 17 and 18 years of age.

(B) Special Short Service Engagements.

	With the Colours.	Date of Introduction.	Army Order.
All Arms	2, 3, & 4 years	1st April, 1919	No. 155
All Arms (as required)	1 year.	12th June, 1919	No. 238
,, ,, ,, ...	2, 3, & 4 years	Nov, 1919	No. 413
Certain Infantry Regiments....	1 & 2 years	21st May, 1920	No. 192
Royal Corps of Signals (wireless operators and artificers) (with bounty)	2, 3, & 4 years	20th May, 1920	No. 187 / No. 283 / No. 379

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Previous Changes since the Introduction of Short Service.

The Army Enlistment Act of 1870, under which recruiting for short service was first authorised, was promulgated by Army Circular dated 10th August, 1870.

The subsequent changes in short service terms of enlistment, prior to the introduction of the terms now current, were:—

Authority.	Arm.	Colour.	Reserve.	Remarks.
1874, G.O., 34	All arms ..	..	..	The proportions in which recruits for long and short service respectively could be enlisted were defined.
1874, A.C. Cl. 67 ..	Cavalry ..	8	4	
	Artillery ..			
	Engineers ..			
	Infantry ..	6	6	
	A.S.C. ..			
1874, G.O. 51	Foot Guards..	..	..	Enlistments could be for long and short service indiscriminately.
1875, G.O. 53	Artillery ..			
1878, G.O. 18	Infantry ..	..	..	All for short service, except boys under 16 and men specially enlisted.
1881, G.O. 80	All arms ..	7	5	Long service conditions defined.
1883, G.O. 90	Foot Guards..	3	9	
1887, G.O. 66	Engineers ..	7	5	Or 3 and 9.
	A.S.C. ..	3	9	
	M.S.C. ..			
1890, A.O. 254 ..	Foot Guards..	7	5	Or 3 and 9.
1891, A.O. 11	M.S.C. ..	7	5	Or 3 and 9.
1898, A.O. 60	Infantry ..	3	9	To limited extent.
1902, A.O. 73	Cavalry ..	3	9	
	Artillery ..			
	Infantry ..			
	A.S.C. ..			
	R.A.M.C. ..			
1904, Sp.A.O., 20 Oct.	Infantry ..	9	3	
1904, Sp.A.O., 27 Dec.	Cavalry ..	8	4	
1905, Sp.A.O., 9 Jan.	R.G.A. ..	9	3	Except for artificers (3 and 9).
1905, Sp.A.O., 20 Oct.	Infantry ..	2	10	Tentatively for certain regiments (Cancelled 1 Feb., 1906. A.O. 29).
1906, A.O., 137 ..	R.A.M.C. ..	1	11	Additional term. (Ceased Nov., 1907.)
1909, Sp.A.O., 16 Mar.	R.F.A. ..	3	9	Limited to an establishment of 5,000.
1909, A.O. 286 ..	R.E.	3	9	Or 7 and 5. (Sappers of certain trades.)
1911, A.O. 23	A.O.C. ..	6	6	Except for Armourers and Armament Artificers.
1912, A.O. 57	R.E. ..	3	9	Sappers of Railway and Signalling Cos. and of certain trades.
		6	6	Other sappers and Pioneers for Field Cos.
1914, A.O. 283 ..	Departmental Corps	1 year or duration of War.	Nil	Cancelled by A.O. 470 of 1914.
1914, A.O. 295 ..	All arms ..	1 year or duration of War.	..	Ex-soldiers only. Cancelled by A.O. 470 of 1914.
1914, A.O. 296 ..	All arms ..	3 years or duration of War.	..	Cancelled by A.O. 470 of 1914.
1914, A.O. 470 ..	All arms ..	Duration of War.	..	Inoperative.
1919, A.O. 4	All arms ..	Up to 31st March, 1921, 1922 1923, respectively	..	Cancelled by A.O. 124 of 1919.
1919, A.O. 124 ..	All arms	Definite periods with Colours, 2, 3, or 4 years	..	Serving soldiers due for discharge. Cancelled by A.O. 329 of 1919.
1919, A.O. 125 ..	Overseas contingents, etc.			
1919, A.O. 155 ..	All arms ..	2, 3, or 4 years	..	Ex-soldiers only
1919, A.O. 156 ..	Overseas contingents for employment with Armies of Occupation	Up to 30th April, 1920	..	
1919, A.O. 195 ..	Infantry ..	Up to 30th April, 1920.	..	Garrison duties only. (Inoperative.)
1919, A.O. 196 ..	Labour Corps	Up to 30th April, 1920.	..	Exhumation duties only. (Inoperative.)
1919, A.O. 164 ..	R.E.	Up to 30th April, 1920.	..	Inoperative.
1919, A.O. 238 ..	All arms ..	1 year	..	..
1919, A.O. 413 ..	All arms ..	1, 2, 3, or 4 years.	..	Men who have not previously served.

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TABLE 1.—RE-ENGAGEMENTS of Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the regimental strength of each Arm of the Service, during the year ending 30th September, 1920.

—	Service at Time of Re-engagement (to complete 21 years with the Colours).				
	After 9 Years' Service.	After 10 Years' Service.	After 11 Years' Service.	After 12 Years' Service.	Totals.
Household Cavalry	4	1	1	3	9
Cavalry of the Line	8	10	37	68	123
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	14	33	167	134	348
Royal Garrison Artillery	51	81	43	62	237
Royal Engineers	2	3	58	76	139
Royal Corps of Signals	....	....	....	....	....
Foot Guards....	8	2	23	23	56
Infantry of the Line	44	47	270	267	628
Army Cyclist Corps	....	....	....	....	....
Machine Gun Corps	3	9	21	16	49
Tank Corps	....	3	5	6	14
Labour Corps	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Army Service Corps	3	10	68	82	163
Royal Army Medical Corps	10	11	31	27	79
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	14	10	52	27	103
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	1	....	2	12	15
Royal Army Pay Corps	....	....	....	2	2
Corps of Military Accountants	....	1	1	2	4
Corps of Military Police	....	....	13	12	25
Colonial Corps*	38	....	6	39	83†
Total	200	221	798	858	2,077

* Relates to permanent units (the West India Regiment, Royal Malta Artillery, West African Regiment, etc.), but not to local Egyptian Forces temporarily employed.

† Incomplete; re-engagements in the West India Regiment and in the Hong Kong-Singapore Battalion, R.G.A., are not included.

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TABLE 2.—EXTENSIONS OF SERVICE by Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on NORMAL ENGAGEMENTS,‡ during the year ending 30th September, 1920.

Arm.	Extensions of Normal Short Service Engagements.																											Other extensions, beyond 12 years.
	To complete 6 years.				To complete 7 years.							To complete 9 years					To complete 12 years.											
	After 2 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	Total.	Under 1 year's service.	After 1 year's service.	After 2 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	After 6 years' service.	Total.	Under 1 year's service.	After 5 years' service.	After 6 years' service.	After 8 years' service.	Total.	Under 1 year's service.	After 1 year's service.	After 2 years' service.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	After 6 years' service.	After 7 years' service.	After 8 years' service.	9 years' service or over.	Total.	
Household Cavalry	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	14	..	20	..
Cavalry of the Line	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	61	87	51	..	..	199	..
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	8	..	3	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	8	16	90	91	39	34	36	315	..
Royal Garrison Artillery (including Artillery Clerks)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	43	119	42	215	..
Royal Engineers	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	59	86	26	44	12	230	..
Foot Guards	..	..	..	..	48	13	11	2	..	1	75	1	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	1	2	5	9	6	3	3	32	..
Infantry of the Line	..	..	..	..	20	6	..	..	..	..	26	..	..	..	4	4	5	14	..	2	9	22	267	184	45	65	613	11
Machine Gun Corps	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	5	4	23	15	13	11	74	..
Tank Corps	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	6	7	..	4	18	..
Royal Army Service Corps	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	8	26	18	26	83	..
Royal Army Medical Corps	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	6	2	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	17	15	15	18	72	..
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	15	8	5	12	44	..
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
Royal Army Pay Corps	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	3	1	1	8	..
Corps of Military Police	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	10	6	..	1	18	..
Colonial Corps*	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	1	1	7	..	60	1	..	61	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	25	40	9	79	37†
Total	8	1	4	13	68	19	16	6	9	5	123	1	60	1	4	66	8	16	2	12	38	257	636	460	351	241	2,021	48

* See Note on page 61. The numbers are incomplete; extensions in the West India Regiment and in the Hong Kong-Singapore Battalion R.G.A. are not included.
† To complete 15 years. ‡ See Notes on page 59.

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TABLE 3.—EXTENSIONS OF SERVICE by Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on SPECIAL SHORT SERVICE ENGAGEMENTS,* during the year ending 30th September, 1920.

| Arm. | Extensions of Special Short Service Engagements. | | |

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TABLE 4.— EXTENSIONS OF SERVICE by Warrant Officers, Non-Com ments, during the year ending

Arm.	Extensions of "DURATION OF														
	For 1 year or less.	To complete 3 years.	To complete 4 years.	To complete 5 years.			To complete 6 years.					To complete			
		Under 1 year's service.	After 3 years' service.	After 2 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	Total.	After 1 year's service.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	Total.	Under 1 year's service.	After 1 year's service.	After 2 years' service.	After 3 years' service.
Cavalry of the Line ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	6	3
Royal Field Artillery ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	8	4	20	..	..	..	..
Royal Garrison Artillery (including Artillery Clerks)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Foot Guards	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	5
Infantry of the Line ..	..	1	1	1	1	2	..	..	1	1	2	2	3	8	17
Labour Corps	644	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Royal Army Service Corps	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	2
Royal Army Medical Corps	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	4
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	2	2	9	..	..	..	..
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	..	..	10	..	23	23	..	..	..	7	7	..	..	..	..
Total	644	1	11	1	24	25	4	9	11	14	38	2	14	23	31

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missioned Officers and Men serving on "DURATION OF WAR"* Engage- 30th September, 1920.

WAR" Engagements.

7 years.				To complete 8 years.				To complete 9 years.					To complete 12 years.					
After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	After 6 years' service.	Total.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	Total.	After 1 year's service.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	Total.	After 2 years' service.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	After 6 years' service.	Total.
5	1	..	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	3	3
..	..	..	..	6	9	21	36	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3	2	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	4	..	6
42	15	..	87	..	4	..	4	1	2	..	9	12	3	8	4	3	..	18
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
5	21	1	34	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
9	1	..	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
64	40	1	175	6	13	21	40	1	2	1	12	16	3	9	5	7	3	27

* See notes on page 60.

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TABLE 5*.—RE-ENGAGEMENTS and EXTENSIONS of SERVICE of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the regimental strength of the Army in each of the years 1910-11, 1911-12, 1912-13 and 1919-20.

During Years Ending—	Re-engagements, to complete 21 years with the colours.					Men enlisted for short service who extended their engagement.																				
						To complete a period of 12 years.											To complete periods of less than 12 years.									
	After 9 years' service.	After 10 years' service.	After 11 years' service.	After 12 years' service.	Total.	Under 1 year's service.	After 1 year's service.	After 2 years' service.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	After 6 years' service.	After 7 years' service.	After 8 years' service.	After 9 years' service.	After 10 years' service.	Total.	Under 1 year's service.	After 1 year's service.	After 2 years' service.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	After 6 years' service.	After 7 years' service.	After 8 years' service.	After 9 years' service.	Total.
30th Sept., 1911 ..	421	560	3,176	49	4,206	18	38	79	77	68	589	787	2,633	246	5	1	4,541	181	398	826	10	42	42	10	7	1	..	1,517
30th Sept., 1912 ..	353	374	3,100	48	3,875	30	27	35	55	75	609	854	1,254	547	80	..	3,566	192	368	672	53	12	61	18	7	..	..	1,383
30th Sept., 1913 ..	291	345	2,701	37	3,374	10	25	41	32	83	601	1,559	513	1,043	79	1	3,987	200	344	439	13	5	156	18	7	..	..	1,182
30th Sept., 1920† ..	200	221	798	858	2,077	51	43	8	23	45	264	640	461	351	242		2,128	294	163	53	50	102	180	7	..	4	4	857‡

NOTE.—Details for the years 1913–14 to 1918–19, inclusive, are not available.

* Indian Native Troops and local Egyptian Forces are not included.

† For 1919–20 the numbers include Warrant Officers.

‡ As in the earlier years, the numbers include only men who have extended their engagements to complete periods of 6 years or over. (For men specially extending for shorter periods—or for periods beyond 12 years—see the Tables on pages 63 and 65–66.

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[For Awards to Soldiers disabled during the War, *see* page 70.]

TABLE 6.—THE NUMBER of "SERVICE" PENSIONS granted by the Commissioners of the Royal Hospital, Chelsea, during the year ending 30th September, 1920, and the number of Warrant Officers, N.C.Os. and Men discharged from the Regimental Strength of each Arm of the Service.

ARM.	§ Total Number of Warrant Officers, N.C.Os. and Men Discharged from the Regimental Strength.	Service Pensions.				
		Time Expired Soldiers.		* To Serving Soldiers under Army Order 1 of 1918.	† To Invalid N.C.Os. and Men, in addition to Disablement. Pensions.	Total.
		To N.C.Os. and Men Discharged from the Regimental Strength.	To N.C.Os. and Men Discharged from the Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force.			
Household Cavalry ...	202	42	—	—	22	64
Cavalry of the Line ...	5,383	389	1	—	259	649
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery ...	13,250	680	—	3	529	1,212
Royal Garrison Artillery	5,548	439	—	5	214	658
Royal Engineers ...	19,813	563	—	3	405	971
Foot Guards	1,608	68	—	—	172	240
Infantry of the Line ...	114,051	2,412	5	22	4,987	7,426
Army Cyclist Corps ...	119	—	—	—	5	5
Machine Gun Corps ...	2,101	53	—	—	62	115
Tank Corps	1,277	17	—	—	12	29
Labour Corps	22,761	—	—	—	—	—
Royal Army Service Corps	21,050	342	—	5	313	660
Royal Army Medical Corps	8,458	149	—	—	199	348
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	2,743	100	—	1	59	160
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	720	35	—	—	37	72
Royal Army Pay Corps...	1,500	36	—	—	6	42
Corps of Military Accountants	14	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Military Police	396	101	—	—	87	188
Non-Combatant Corps ...	7	—	—	—	—	—
Colonial Corps	(App.) 930	41	—	—	—	41
	221,931	5,467	6	39	7,368	12,880
In addition to the above, the following N.C.Os. and men, discharged from other than regimental establishments, were granted Service Pensions as follows :—						
Military Provost Staff Corps ...		33	—	—	16	49
School of Musketry		1	—	—	—	1
Royal Military College		1	—	—	—	1
Army Schoolmasters		1	—	—	—	1

NOTES.—(1) In addition to "Service" Pensions, the Commissioners awarded 844 pensions for Gallant Conduct to Invalids, in addition to Disablement Pensions granted by the Ministry of Pensions.

(2) The figures for pensions do not include those granted to Warrant Officers. The total of Service Pensions granted to Warrant Officers during the year were :—Ordinary, 213; under Army Order 1 of 1918, 1; Invalid, in addition to Disablement Pensions, 8; total, 222.

§ For the causes of discharge *see* pages 22-25.

* † See footnotes on page 69.

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TABLE 7.§

A.—THE NUMBER OF PENSIONS, whether Permanent or Temporary, granted by the Commissioners of the Royal Hospital, Chelsea, during each year from 1910–11 to 1913-14 inclusive.

During Years ending—	Number of N.C.Os. and Men Discharged from the regimental strength. ‡	Permanent Pensions.					Temporary Pensions. (Invalid.)
		To N.C.Os. and men discharged from the regimental strength (including the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve).		To N.C.Os. and men discharged from the Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, Unattached List, &c.		Total.	
		Service Pensions.	Invalid Pensions.	Service Pensions.	Invalid Pensions.		
30th September, 1911	12,205	2,626	272	396	1	3,295	925
30th September, 1912	13,312	2,941	290	298	7	3,536	835
30th September, 1913	13,865	3,280	279	364	8	3,931	768
30th September, 1914	19,985	2.604	184	323	9	3,120	683

B.||—THE NUMBER of "SERVICE" and "GALLANT CONDUCT" PENSIONS granted by the Commissioners of the Royal Hospital, Chelsea, during each year from 1914-15 to 1919-20 inclusive.

During Years ending—	Service Pensions.					Pensions for Gallant Conduct, in addition to Disablement Pensions granted by Ministry of Pensions.
	Time Expired Soldiers.		* To Serving Soldiers under Army Order 1 of 1918.	† To Invalid N.C.Os. and Men, in addition to Disablement Pensions.	Total.	
	To N.C.Os. and Men Discharged from the Regimental Strength.	To N.C.Os. and Men Discharged from the Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force				
30th September, 1915	235	125	—	—	360	—
30th September, 1916	1,161	57	—	—	1,218	—
30th September, 1917	777	1	—	395	1,173	179
30th September, 1918	429	41	2,617	1,157	4,244	291
30th September, 1919	2,374	—	618	3,817	6,809	120
30th September, 1920	5,467	6	39	7,368	12,880	844

§ The numbers do not include pensions granted to men serving in Miscellaneous Establishments (Military Provost Staff Corps, &c.); nor do they include pensions granted to Warrant Officers.

|| For awards to soldiers disabled during the war, which are dealt with by the Ministry of Pensions, *see* page 70.

‡ For the causes of discharge *see* page 28.

* Under Army Order 1 of January, 1918, all serving warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men who had completed 22 years' service on or after 4th August, 1914, and who had been retained in the Army under the Military Service Acts, or who had voluntarily continued in the Service, were permitted to elect to draw, with retrospective effect, the pension to which they would have been entitled had they been discharged on completing 22 years' service. Similarly, soldiers who subsequent to the issue of the Army Order completed 22 years' service during the war, were permitted to elect to draw a Service Pension upon the completion of 22 years' service. The election once made, the soldier was not entitled, under any circumstances, to have the Service Pension subsequently increased; but, if disabled, he became eligible for a disability pension in addition.

† In these cases, the soldiers were eligible, by length of service, for Service Pensions from the Commissioners, having received Disability Pensions from the Ministry of Pensions. (*See* page 68.)

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(Extracted from the Third Annual Report of the Minister of Pensions.)

TABLE 8.—Summary of Awards of Pensions to disabled Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, and of Allowances for their Children from the beginning of the War to 31st March, 1920.

Period.	Pensions to disabled Warrant Officers, N.C.Os. and Men.							Allowances for the children of disabled Warrant Officers N.C.Os. and Men.		
	Permanent pensions.			Temporary pensions.			Total of permanent and temporary pensions.	Children of soldiers totally disabled.	Children of soldiers partially disabled.	Total.
	For total disablement.	For partial disablement.	Total.	For total disablement.	For partial disablement.	Total.				
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
4th August, 1914, to 31st March 1917	533	4,303	4,836	21,653	117,478	139,131	143,967	23,571*	114,841*	138,412*
1st April, 1917, to 31st March, 1918	432	6,407	6,839	30,074	141,031	171,105	177,944	26,802	156,249	183,051
1st April, 1918, to 31st March, 1919	1,157	11,345	12,502	23,665	276,819	300,484	312,986	14,255	210,892	225,147
1st April, 1919, to 31st March, 1920	505	6,059	6,564	9,990	456,391	466,381	472,945	6,915	368,598	375,513
Totals	2,627	28,114	30,741	85,382	991,719	1,077,101	1,107,842	71,543	850,580	922,123

* The earlier figures relating to children's allowances are in some measure based upon estimates.

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TABLE 9*.—The number of Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men struck off as DESERTERS from the regimental strength of each Arm of the Service during the year ending 30th September, 1920, with their services, the number who rejoined from desertion, and the net loss from desertion.

—	Services of men struck off.								Total struck off.	Rejoined from desertion.	Net loss from desertion.
	Under 3 months.	3 to 6 months.	6 to 12 months.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	Over 5 years.			
Household Cavalry	2	....	2	....	....	....	2	....	6	3	3
Cavalry of the Line	268	199	154	61	7	4	7	21	721	220	501
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	271	218	316	138	13	15	20	65	1,056	488	568
Royal Garrison Artillery	111	61	75	47	40	39	26	69	468	112	356
Royal Engineers	191	112	80	25	15	8	7	21	459	247	212
Royal Corps of Signals	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Foot Guards	185	89	126	31	1	2	8	10	452	160	292
Infantry of the Line	1,750	1,482	2,167	1,250	404	255	193	285	7,786	3,509	4,277
Army Cyclist Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Machine Gun Corps	65	178	179	24	8	4	7	24	489	129	360
Tank Corps	20	63	87	30	1	....	....	2	203	72	131
Labour Corps	31	360	....	....	....	....	....	....	391	114	277
Royal Army Service Corps	435	199	121	39	27	46	8	5	880	345	535
Royal Army Medical Corps	81	42	39	10	4	....	....	4	180	52	128
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	47	39	12	4	3	2	1	....	108	20	88
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	9	3	5	8	4	3	3	....	35	15	20
Royal Army Pay Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Corps of Military Accountants	1	....	....	....	...	....	....	....	1	....	1
Corps of Military Police	1	5	4	....	....	....	....	6	16	3	13
Colonial Corps†	33	22	12	26	12	5	5	12	127	43	84
Total	3,501	3,072	3,379	1,693	539	383	287	524	13,378‡	5,532‡	7,846‡

* Indian Native Troops and local Egyptian Forces are not included.

† Incomplete; the numbers do not include Deserters from the West India Regiment, or from the Hong Kong—Singapore Battalion, R.G.A.

‡ See Note on page 24.

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TABLE 10*.—SERVICES OF N.C.O.'S AND MEN STRUCK OFF AS DESERTERS, and net loss from Desertion, showing proportions to 1,000 men of the average strength, in each of the years 1910–11, 1911–12, 1912–13 and 1919–20.

Year.	Services of Men struck off as Deserters.								Total struck off.	Proportion of Men struck off to 1,000 of Average Strength.	Proportion struck off in 1st year of service to 1,000 of Average Strength in 1st year.	Rejoined from Desertion.	Net Loss from Desertion.	Proportion of Net Loss to 1,000 Men Average Strength.
	Under 3 mths.	3 to 6 mths.	6 to12 mths.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	Over 5 years.						
Years ending—														
30th Sept., 1911	423	384	475	619	481	236	137	264	3,019	12·77	47·49	1,355	1,664	7·04
30th Sept., 1912	491	451	545	630	311	234	160	220	3,042	12·87	50·07	1,459	1,583	6·70
30th Sept., 1913	585	448	506	630	270	147	138	210	2,934	12·77	55·60	1,382	1,552	6·75
30th Sept., 1920	3,501	3,072	3,379	1,693	539	383	287	524	13,378	28·84	....	5,532	7,846	16·91

Note.—Particulars for the years 1913–14 to 1918–19 inclusive are not available.

* Indian Native Troops and local Egyptian Forces are not included.

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PART V.—RELIEFS AND REINFORCEMENTS.

TABLE 1*.—DETAILS OF TROOPS EMBARKED FOR INDIA during the year ending 30th September, 1920, showing the ages of Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men composing Detachments.

—	Number of Warrant Officers, Non Commissioned Officers and Men.		Detachments (Ages).														Total, Units and Detachments.
	In Units.	In Detachments.	Under 18 Years.	18–19 Years.	19–20 Years.	20–21 Years.	21–22 Years.	22–23 Years.	23–24 Years.	24–25 Years.	25–26 Years.	26–27 Years.	27–28 Years.	28–29 Years.	29–30 Years.	Over 30 Years.	
From Home—																	
Cavalry of the Line	1,778	1,271	32	152	601	166	63	47	38	42	28	15	20	11	15	41	3,049
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	8,307	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8,307
Royal Garrison Artillery	1,799	821	5	10	66	73	53	65	40	57	55	45	38	36	38	240	2,620
Royal Engineers	129	479	3	27	115	69	38	37	38	29	17	15	9	11	14	57	608
Infantry of the Line	8,146	5,227	242	325	2,325	686	374	240	222	169	126	85	59	62	48	264	13,373
Machine Gun Corps	....	330	....	3	145	58	25	18	13	16	9	6	4	7	5	21	330
Royal Army Service Corps	....	208	....	14	39	21	16	15	6	6	11	6	6	4	4	60	208
Royal Army Medical Corps	....	230	....	2	38	19	22	19	11	9	10	12	9	10	6	63	230
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	....	237	....	....	95	47	33	25	24	10	1	1	....	1	....	....	237
Royal Army Pay Corps	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	2
Total	20,159	8,805	282	533	3,424	1,139	624	466	392	338	258	185	145	142	130	747	28,964

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From Overseas—																	
Royal Engineers	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	1	....	....	....	1	3
Infantry of the Line	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	1	1	2	....	....	....	....	....	1	5
Royal Army Service Corps	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	....	9	....	....	1	....	2	2	3	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	9
Total	....	18	....	....	1	....	2	3	5	2	2	1	....	....	....	2	18
Total, Home and Overseas—																	
Cavalry of the Line	....	1,778	1,271	32	152	601	166	63	47	38	42	28	15	20	11	15	41	3,049
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	....	8,307	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8,307
Royal Garrison Artillery	....	1,799	821	5	10	66	73	53	65	40	57	55	45	38	36	38	240	2,620
Royal Engineers	....	129	482	3	27	115	69	38	37	38	29	18	16	9	11	14	58	611
Infantry of the Line	....	8,146	5,232	242	325	2,325	686	374	241	223	171	126	85	59	62	48	265	13,378
Machine Gun Corps	....	....	330	....	3	145	58	25	18	13	16	9	6	4	7	5	21	330
Royal Army Service Corps	....	....	209	....	14	39	21	16	15	7	6	11	6	6	4	4	60	209
Royal Army Medical Corps	....	....	230	....	2	38	19	22	19	11	9	10	12	9	10	6	63	230
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	....	....	246	....	....	96	47	35	27	27	10	2	1	....	1	....	....	246
Royal Army Pay Corps	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	2
General Total	....	20,159	8,823	282	533	3,425	1,139	626	469	397	340	260	186	145	142	130	749	28,982

* Indian Native Troops are not included in this Table.

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TABLE 2*.—DETAILS OF TROOPS EMBARKED FOR OVERSEAS (EXCEPT INDIA), during the year ending 30th September, 1920, showing the Ages of Warrant Officers, Non-commissioned Officers and Men composing Detachments.

—	Number of Warrant Officers, Non Commissioned Officers and Men.		Detachments (Ages).													Total, Units and Detachments.
	In Units.	In Detachments.	Under 18 Years.	18–19 Years.	19–20 Years.	20–21 Years.	21–22 Years.	22–23 Years.	23–24 Years.	24–25 Years.	25–26 Years.	26–27 Years.	27–28 Years.	28–29 Years.	29–30 Years.	Over 30 Years.	
From India—																	
Cavalry of the Line	140	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	140
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	320	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	320
Infantry of the Line	357	313	9	9	33	22	8	6	12	7	14	13	8	19	17	136	670
Machine Gun Corps	....	335	....	....	16	26	40	47	70	60	34	13	7	4	6	12	335
Royal Army Ordnance Corps....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	2	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3
Total	817	651	9	9	49	48	48	55	83	67	48	26	15	23	23	148	1,468
From Home—																	
Cavalry of the Line	256	1,980	83	495	556	198	171	72	59	59	35	44	23	42	69	74	2,236
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	3,940	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3,940
Royal Garrison Artillery	736	1,469	32	25	227	101	94	87	73	88	82	55	67	61	36	441	2,205
Royal Engineers	....	409	1	26	39	49	21	22	20	25	20	16	12	21	11	126	409
Foot Guards	....	2	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	2
Infantry of the Line	12,138	6,320	129	1,095	1,479	914	479	294	275	212	124	134	99	101	110	875	18,458
Machine Gun Corps	....	81	....	1	5	11	12	17	10	4	3	3	4	1	2	8	81
Labour Corps	....	324	....	....	....	....	2	....	3	7	4	7	7	12	7	275	324
Royal Army Service Corps	....	5,318	67	747	1,032	554	399	261	235	225	171	142	120	107	122	1,136	5,318

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Royal Army Medical Corps	....	1,546	....	128	239	85	110	93	90	90	91	66	70	28	49	407	1,546
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	....	1,080	....	167	145	87	107	67	39	27	31	18	17	31	82	262	1,080
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	....	102	....	30	16	7	7	2	5	4	3	1	....	3	2	22	102
Royal Army Pay Corps	....	360	....	....	1	15	20	11	26	13	16	15	10	24	11	198	360
Corps of Military Accountants	....	68	....	....	1	3	3	5	2	8	3	4	4	3	4	28	68
Corps of Military Police	....	595	....	....	....	47	33	27	43	49	36	29	23	26	27	255	595
Total	17,070	19,654	312	2,714	3,740	2,072	1,458	958	880	811	619	534	456	460	533	4,107	36,724
Total, from India and from Home—																	
Cavalry of the Line	396	1,980	83	495	556	198	171	72	59	59	35	44	23	42	69	74	2,376
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	4,260	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4,260
Royal Garrison Artillery	736	1,469	32	25	227	101	94	87	73	88	82	55	67	61	36	441	2,205
Royal Engineers	....	409	1	26	39	49	21	22	20	25	20	16	12	21	11	126	409
Foot Guards	....	2	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	2
Infantry of the Line	12,495	6,633	138	1,104	1,512	936	487	300	287	219	138	147	107	120	127	1,011	19,128
Machine Gun Corps	....	416	....	1	21	37	52	64	80	64	37	16	11	5	8	20	416
Labour Corps	....	324	....	....	....	....	2	....	3	7	4	7	7	12	7	275	324
Royal Army Service Corps	....	5,318	67	747	1,032	554	399	261	235	225	171	142	120	107	122	1,136	5,318
Royal Army Medical Corps	....	1,546	....	128	239	85	110	93	90	90	91	66	70	28	49	407	1,546
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	....	1,083	....	167	145	87	107	69	40	27	31	18	17	31	82	262	1,083
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	....	102	....	30	16	7	7	2	5	4	3	1	....	3	2	22	102
Royal Army Pay Corps	....	360	....	....	1	15	20	11	26	13	16	15	10	24	11	198	360
Corps of Military Accountants	....	68	....	....	1	3	3	5	2	8	3	4	4	3	4	28	68
Corps of Military Police	....	595	....	....	....	47	33	27	43	49	36	29	23	26	27	255	595
General total	17,887	20,305	321	2,723	3,789	2,120	1,506	1,013	963	878	667	560	471	483	556	4,255	38,192

* Indian Native Troops are not included in this Table.

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PART VI.—COURTS MARTIAL.

TABLE 1*.—COURTS-MARTIAL (GENERAL, DISTRICT, FIELD GENERAL, and REGIMENTAL ‡) on Soldiers at Home and Abroad, held during the year ending 30th September, 1920.

(*a*) Number of Courts-Martial, Acquittals, Convictions Quashed, &c.

—	HOME.				ABROAD.					HOME AND ABROAD.				Grand Total—General, District, Field General, and Regimental‡ Courts-Martial.
	General Courts-Martial.	District Courts-Martial.	Regimental Courts-Martial. ‡	Total.	General Courts-Martial.	District Courts-Martial.	Field General Courts-Martial.	Regimental Courts-Martial. ‡	Total.	General Courts-Martial.	District Courts-Martial.	Field General Courts-Martial.	Regimental Courts-Martial. ‡	
Trials	204	11,264	208	11,676	35	1,538	6,546	89	8,208	239	12,802	6,546	297	19,884
Convictions confirmed	180	10,135	165	10,480	24	1,239	5,474	87	6,824	204	11,374	5,474	252	17,304
Acquittals	21	709	4	734	10	219	803	2	1,034	31	928	803	6	1,768
Convictions quashed	—	181	36	217	...	57	198	...	255	...	238	198	36	472
Convictions not confirmed ...	3	239	3	245	1	23	71	...	95	4	262	71	3	340
Total	204	11,264	208	11,676	35	1,538	6,546	89	8,208	239	12,802	6,546	297	19,884
Quashed, partially	...	136	...	136	...	40	126	...	166	...	176	126	...	302
Not confirmed, partially	...	75	...	75	...	49	30	...	79	...	124	30	...	154
Wholly remitted§	...	63	...	63	1	14	47	...	62	1	77	47	...	125
Suspended§...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	15	...	...	15	...	15

(*b*) Offences.

War treason	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Defence of the Realm Regulations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Offence against inhabitant ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	101	...	101	...	...	101	...	101
Mutiny	169	113	...	282	6	...	70	...	76	175	113	70	...	358
Cowardice	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Desertion	4	2,709	...	2,713	...	35	199	...	234	4	2,744	199	...	2,947
Absence without leave, &c. ...	2	4,028	77	4,107	...	258	1,602	10	1,870	2	4,286	1,602	87	5,977
Striking or violence	...	624	...	624	2	222	338	...	562	2	846	338	...	1,186
Insubordination, &c.	1	924	28	953	4	261	352	37	654	5	1,185	352	65	1,607

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Disobedience	...	...	...	...	...	...	573	...	573	...	...	573	...	573
Quitting, &c., post	...	250	8	258	3	54	224	...	281	3	304	224	8	539
Drunkenness	...	536	14	550	...	245	994	21	1,260	...	781	994	35	1,810
Injuring public property, equipment, &c.	...	92	...	92	...	14	36	2	52	...	106	36	2	144
Loss of public property, equipment, &c.	...	3,443	4	3,447	...	66	293	...	359	...	3,509	293	4	3,806
Theft	5	580	...	585	2	69	369	...	440	7	649	369	...	1,025
Indecency	...	23	...	23	...	12	8	...	20	...	35	8	...	43
Resisting, &c., escort	...	...	...	...	1	...	138	...	139	1	...	138	...	139
Escaping confinement	1	...	...	1	2	...	271	...	273	3	...	271	...	274
Self-inflicted wound	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	2	...	2
Fraudulent enlistment	...	108	...	108	...	2	...	...	2	...	110	...	...	110
Enlisting after discharge	...	11	...	11	...	7	...	...	7	...	18	...	...	18
False answer on attestation ...	...	25	...	25	...	2	...	...	2	...	27	...	...	27
Neglect of duty	...	...	17	17	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	...	22	22
Fraud	13	45	...	58	2	26	25	...	53	15	71	25	...	111
Miscellaneous military offences ...	4	1,961	49	2,014	10	429	1,415	24	1,878	14	2,390	1,415	73	3,892
Miscellaneous civil offences ...	...	125	2	127	5	38	251	9	303	5	163	251	11	430
Total of Offences ...	199	15,597	199	15,995	37	1,740	7,261	108	9,146	236	17,337	7,261	307	25,141

(c) Sentences.†

Death	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	9	...	...	9	...	9
Penal servitude —														
3 years	...	...	...	...	2	...	18	...	20	2	...	18	...	20
6 years	1	...	...	1	2	...	50	...	52	3	...	50	...	53
9 years	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	2	...	2
12 years	...	...	...	...	1	...	7	...	8	1	...	7	...	8
15 years	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	1	...	1	...	2
Life	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	3	...	3
Imprisonment with hard labour—														
6 months	4	303	...	307	4	60	833	...	897	8	363	833	...	1,204
12 months	3	118	...	121	2	29	352	...	383	5	147	352	...	504
18 months	...	22	...	22	...	9	59	...	68	...	31	59	...	90
24 months	2	39	...	41	2	9	187	...	198	4	48	187	...	239
Imprisonment—														
6 months	1	54	...	55	...	8	33	...	41	1	62	33	...	96
12 months	...	13	...	13	...	...	3	...	3	...	13	3	...	16
18 months	...	2	...	2	...	1	2	...	3	...	3	2	...	5
24 months	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2

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TABLE 1*—*continued*—COURTS-MARTIAL (GENERAL, DISTRICT, FIELD GENERAL and REGIMENTAL‡) on Soldiers at Home and Abroad, held during the year ending 30th September, 1920.

(*c*) Sentences—*cont.*

	HOME.				ABROAD.					HOME AND ABROAD.				Grand Total—General, District, Field General, and Regimental‡ Courts-Martial.
	General Courts-Martial.	District Courts-Martial.	Regimental Courts-Martial. ‡	Total.	General Courts-Martial.	District Courts-Martial.	Field General Courts-Martial.	Regimental Courts-Martial. ‡	Total	General Courts-Martial.	District Courts-Martial.	Field General Courts-Martial.	Regimental Courts-Martial. ‡	
Detention—														
3 months	25	6,642			2	752	285			27	7,394	285		
6 months	134	1,467	73	8,683	...	135	101	44	1367	134	1,602	101	117	10,050
Over 6 months	9	333			7	18	23			16	351	23		
Field punishment—														
No. 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	501	...	501	...	...	501	...	501
No. 2	...	23	...	23	...	1	2,212	...	2,213	...	24	2,212	...	2,236
Discharged with ignominy ...	6	250	...	256	4	10	28	...	42	10	260	28	...	298
Reduction, &c.	2	833	95	930	...	208	641	44	893	2	1,041	641	139	1,823
Stoppages, fines, &c.	...	3,576	12	3,588	2	103	690	5	800	2	3,679	690	17	4,388
Total of punishments ...	188	13,676	180	14,044	29	1,343	6,040	93	7,505	217	15,019	6,040	273	21,549

NOTE.—It is not yet possible to arrange the table "by Arms" as in pre-war Annual Reports, but it is hoped to do so in the Report for the year ending September 30th, 1921. The present figures relate to all ranks serving in the Army (exclusive of officers).

* Courts-Martial on Indian Native Troops (borrowed) are not included.

† The punishments are classified according to the method introduced in 1908; if, for example, a man is "imprisoned" and "fined" the punishment is entered under both headings.

‡ *Regimental* Courts-Martial were abolished in the Army (Annual) Act for 1920, which came into force in the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man from the 30th April, 1920, and elsewhere from the 31st July, 1920.

§ The remissions and suspensions of sentences are only shown when noted on the Proceedings.

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TABLE 2.—COURTS-MARTIAL held on Soldiers at Home and Abroad in each year from 1910-11.

(*a*) Courts-Martial, Acquittals, &c. *‡

—	Years ending—			From 1st Oct., 1913, to 3rd Aug., 1914.‡	From 4th Aug., 1914, to 30th Sept., 1914.	Years ending					
	30th Sept., 1911.	30th Sept., 1912.	30th Sept., 1913.			30th Sept., 1915.	30th Sept., 1916.	30th Sept., 1917.	30th Sept., 1918.	30th Sept., 1919.	30th Sept., 1920.§
Trials...	5,381	5,161	4,854	4,015	807	35,382	58,175	66,759	75,433	50,493	19,884
Convictions confirmed	4,893	4,702	4,427	3,709	723	32,237	52,690	59,401	67,230	44,503	17,304
Acquittals...	296	287	286	188	45	1,901	3,810	5,248	6,193	4,538	1,768
Convictions quashed	113	89	76	38	18	763	1,044	1,218	990	690	472
Convictions not confirmed ...	79	83	65	80	21	481	631	892	1,020	762	340
Total	5,381	5,161	4,854	4,015	807	35,382	58,175	66,759	75,433	50,493	19,884
Quashed, partially	...	...	...	...	6	307	432	600	488	426	302
Not confirmed, partially ...	...	...	...	...	...	31	46	155	285	191	154
Wholly remitted**	32	15	19	9	7	170	302	360	384	301	125
Suspended**	...	...	...	...	...	627	2,417	2,533	3,079	800	15

(*b*) Offences.

War treason	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Defence of the Realm Regulations	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	9	17	1	...
Offence against inhabitant ...	...	...	...	...	1	133	309	308	426	479	101
Mutiny	...	36	...	...	14	112	60	221	400	676	358
Cowardice	...	...	...	...	...	96	107	113	86	18	...
Desertion	1,480	1,463	1,325	1,169	83	4,523	7,894	8,622	10,328	5,557	2,947
Absence without leave, &c. ...	786	633	758	626	114	8,146	14,031	18,009	24,379	18,673	5,977
Striking or violence	668	678	545	508	75	2,681	2,921	2,518	2,698	1,627	1,186
Insubordination, &c.	768	644	589	487	94	3,659	6,121	8,553	6,943	3,868	1,607
Disobedience					7	979	2,773	2,668	2,232	2,439	573
Quitting, &c., post	72	39	36	22	69	2,331	2,620	1,565	1,158	819	539
Drunkenness	577	574	426	317	235	8,510	11,291	8,284	7,005	3,716	1,810

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TABLE 2—*continued.*—COURTS-MARTIAL held on Soldiers at Home and Abroad in each year from 1910–11.

(*b*) Offences—*continued.* *‡

—	Years ending—			From 1st Oct., 1913, to 3rd Aug., 1914.‡	From 4th Aug., 1914, to 30th Sept., 1914.	Years ending—					
	30th Sept., 1911.	30th Sept., 1912.	30th Sept., 1913.			30th Sept., 1915.	30th Sept., 1916.	30th Sept., 1917.	30th Sept., 1918.	30th Sept 1919.	30th Sept., 1920§.
Injuring public property, equipment, &c.	159	144	135	129	14	158	266	231	240	244	144
Loss of public property, equipment, &c.	1.390	1,523	1,442	1,191	88	3,763	6,596	5,587	5,955	4,655	3,806
Theft	597	464	522	371	38	1,029	1,453	1,543	2,871	1,875	1,025
Indecency	15	34	25	14	1	10	60	54	89	45	43
Resisting, &c., escort	...	...	...	...	2	204	468	417	74	476	139
Escaping confinement	...	...	...	...	1	214	587	532	929	837	274
Self-inflicted wound	...	...	...	...	...	34	1	1,194	2,243	418	2
Fraudulent enlistment	60	78	73	67	7	451	977	191	119	51	110
Enlisting after discharge	100	87	99	88	6	103	70	8	1	1	18
False answer on attestation ...	73	93	79	76	8	188	214	27	10	16	27
Neglect of duty	70	66	37	21	2	44	9	5	13	22	22
Fraud	71	50	57	28	2	108	212	207	245	129	111
Miscellaneous military offences ...	945	879	871	583	105	4,898	9,261	11,387	12,399	9,464	3,892
Miscellaneous civil offences ...	100	72	33	59	11	183	395	744	715	783	430
Total Offences	7,931	7,557	7,052	5,756	977	42,559	68,699	72,997	81,575	56,889	25,141

(*c*) Sentences†.

Death	...	...	...	...	1	48	81	96	95	14	9
Penal servitude—											
3 years					...	190	379	333	302	356	20
6 years					...	258	494	606	1,066	447	53
9 years	3	8	4	...	...	25	48	104	175	90	2
12 years					...	126	323	446	675	296	8
15 years					...	29	39	147	171	73	2
Life					...	2	6	23	72	37	3

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Imprisonment with hard labour—												
6 months	583	462	482	390	53	2,754	2,976	3,079	3,067	2,939	1,204
12 months					39	1,258	1,963	2,630	2,303	1,760	504
18 months					2	217	306	476	658	404	90
24 months					6	813	1,491	2,762	2,408	1,608	239
Imprisonment—											
6 months	...	...	...	...	2	103	467	302	236	145	96
12 months	...	...	...	...	...	61	70	102	56	56	16
18 months	...	...	...	...	...	13	16	10	9	6	5
24 months	...	...	...	...	...	17	22	42	16	32	2
Detention—											
3 months					359	11,305	12,489	12,930	13,610	9,168	
6 months	3,771	3,810	3,500	3,031	59	2,484	6,604	6,937	7,052	3,523	10,050
Over 6 months					5	489	2,738	3,923	4,041	2,140	
Field punishment—											
No. 1	...	...	...	...	7	6,779	13,815	12,350	17,973	8,919	501
No. 2	...	...	...	...	9	1,367	2,507	3,782	4,771	6,831	2,236
Discharged with ignominy... ...	378	333	326	260	16	513	119	49	28	136	298
Reduction, &c.	550	526	475	274	180	4,037	6,032	6,501	6,446	3,522	1,823
Stoppages, fines, &c.	1,336	1,338	1,298	1,069	114	3,076	6,465	6,458	8,270	6,641	4,388
Total of punishments ...	6,621	6,477	6,085	5,024	852	35,964	59,450	64,988	73,500	49,143	21,549

* The figures for the period from the 4th August, 1914, to the 30th September, 1919, relate to the mobilized British Army (including the Territorial Force) and also to Overseas Dominion Troops, coloured labour, &c. (exclusive of Officers). For the period before the 4th August, 1914, the figures relate only to Non-Commissioned Officers and men on the regimental strength of the Regular Army.

‡ *Regimental* Courts-Martial are not included, the figures not being available; very few Regimental Courts-Martial, however, were held during the war period.

§ Regimental Courts-Martial are included; Regimental Courts-Martial, however, were abolished in the Army (Annual) Act, 1920, which came into force in the United Kingdom, Channel Islands, and Isle of Man from the 30th April, 1920, and elsewhere from the 31st July, 1920.

** The remissions and suspensions of sentences are only shown when noted on the Proceedings.

† The punishments are classified according to the method introduced in 1908; if, for example, a man is "imprisoned" and "fined," the punishment is entered under both headings.

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TABLE 3.—Number of GENERAL, DISTRICT, FIELD GENERAL, and REGIMENTAL COURTS-MARTIAL held on Soldiers at home and abroad in each year from 1910-11

Years ending—	Number of Courts-Martial.										Total.
	General.		District.		Field General.		Regimental.		Total.		
	Home.	Abroad.	Home.	Abroad.	Home.	Abroad.	Home.	Abroad.	Home.	Abroad.	
30th Sept., 1911 ...	...	10	2,699	2,165	...	...	162	345	2,861	2,520	5,381
30th Sept., 1912 ...	...	53	2,917	1,790	...	...	166	235	3,083	2,078	5,161
30th Sept., 1913 ...	1	5	2,934	1,601	...	...	155	158	3,090	1,764	4,854
From 1st Oct., 1913, to 3rd Aug., 1914	...	3	2,597	1,415	...	...	‡	‡	2,597	1,418	4,01
From 4th Aug., 1914, to 30th Sept., 1914* ...	3	...	629	90	33	52	‡	‡	665	142	80
30th Sept., 1915* ...	121	22	19,340	877	279	14,743	‡	‡	19,740	15,642	35,38
30th Sept., 1916* ...	43	63	27,053	721	...	30,295	‡	‡	27,096	31,079	58,1
30th Sept., 1917* ...	158	21	32,692	1,058	...	32,830	‡	‡	32,850	33,909	66,7
30th Sept., 1918* ...	63	22	32,396	1,284	...	41,668	‡	‡	32,459	42,974	75,4
30th Sept., 1919* ...	149	130	19,037	820	...	30,357	‡	‡	19,186	31,307	50,4
30th Sept., 1920 ...	204	35	11,264	1,538	...	6,546	208§	89§	11,676	8,208	19,8

* ‡ § See the footnotes on page 82.

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PART VII—SERVICES

TABLE 1*.—SERVICE rendered towards ENGAGEMENT (irrespective of Officers and Men on the regimental strength of the several

	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.
AT HOME.										
Household Cavalry	92	204	36	15	76	175	187	69	27	16
Cavalry of the Line	2,565	4,192	129	116	102	191	663	98	74	93
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	2,554	6,123	347	182	162	801	451	87	69	74
Royal Garrison Artillery	1,639	2,012	187	90	85	283	516	640	165	113
Royal Engineers	4,192	2,761	52	104	133	598	208	132	100	169
Royal Corps of Signals	122	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foot Guards	3,078	3,169	93	40	84	108	88	79	62	52
Infantry of the Line	20,329	38,183	1,089	1,104	987	1,956	2,534	526	381	378
Army Cyclist Corps	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Machine Gun Corps	139	1,739	...	3	52	125	259	22	19	12
Tank Corps	464	2,097	15	42	13	26	46	7	11	6
Labour Corps	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Royal Army Service Corps	5,378	3,976	55	50	57	81	177	40	39	43
Royal Army Medical Corps	1,377	859	5	41	5	17	49	20	23	33
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	1,637	426	32	54	22	40	30	13	24	21
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	66	227	...	...	...	6	5	...	...	...
Royal Army Pay Corps	366	121	2	3	6	9	9	4	3	6
Corps of Military Accountants	407	308	2	4	2	1	2	1	2	2
Corps of Military Police	553	196	1	...	5	23	34	16	2	1
Total, all Arms, Home	44,958	66,595	2,045	1,848	1,791	4,440	5,258	1,754	1,001	1,019
OVERSEAS, EXCEPT INDIA.										
Cavalry of the Line	382	2,204	90	56	52	110	339	37	14	17
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	801	3,887	253	97	77	252	160	50	68	57
Royal Garrison Artillery	248	1,102	58	43	51	120	290	170	58	50
Royal Engineers	1,834	1,691	27	29	36	181	109	65	50	43
Infantry of the Line	3,956	25,572	494	433	535	850	569	196	142	112
Machine Gun Corps	119	759	...	4	40	85	60	16	6	2
Tank Corps	34	642	2	7	...	1	5	1	1	1
Labour Corps	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Royal Army Service Corps	3,620	2,359	12	25	33	61	64	30	32	30
Royal Army Medical Corps	701	1,466	1	3	3	23	25	10	14	21
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	596	650	4	8	16	35	38	13	23	17
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	32	241	...	...	2	...	3	1	1	...
Royal Army Pay Corps	58	209	...	...	...	3	4	3	1	5
Corps of Military Accountants	26	33	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1
Corps of Military Police	456	261	2	...	4	23	41	17	6	3
Colonial Corps†	448	151	163	175	147	93	160	90	67	65
Total, all Arms, Overseas	13,311	41,227	1,106	881	996	1,838	1,867	700	483	424
INDIA.										
Cavalry of the Line	359	2,158	44	35	44	65	193	24	24	30
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	1,540	6,495	391	133	96	236	145	78	74	83
Royal Garrison Artillery	257	1,679	101	38	39	176	458	155	121	40
Royal Engineers	178	289	...	...	5	35	21	20	7	20
Infantry of the Line	1,145	30,509	533	557	706	1,246	654	212	157	160
Machine Gun Corps	315	3,416	5	12	55	176	220	22	16	18
Royal Army Service Corps	161	478	2	2	6	8	21	3	4	2
Royal Army Medical Corps	107	60	1	...	1	3	1	4	3	4
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	188	53	1	2	3	8	11	6	11	7
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Royal Army Pay Corps	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Total, all Arms, India	4,250	45,140	1,078	779	955	1,953	1,724	525	417	364
GENERAL TOTAL (Home and Abroad)	62,519	152,962	4,229	3,508	3,742	8,231	8,849	2,979	1,901	1,807

* Indian Native Troops and local

† Relates to permanent uni's such as the Royal Malta

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the Term of Engagement) by the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Arms at Home, Overseas and in India, on the 1st October, 1920.

10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	12 to 13 years.	13 to 14 years.	14 to 15 years.	15 to 16 years.	16 to 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	Over 21 years.	Demobilizables.	Not reported.	Total.
19	9	15	16	17	22	22	21	21	26	31	13	4	...	1,133
53	75	39	30	28	36	50	55	148	135	127	54	7	...	9,060
101	233	167	76	81	49	78	143	171	166	279	107	140	...	12,641
120	188	139	72	93	155	168	163	118	92	191	130	43	...	7,402
145	132	133	70	118	90	143	119	210	295	147	132	135	...	10,318
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	124
60	46	41	41	51	33	36	37	26	46	29	42	38	...	7,379
359	472	450	305	383	424	405	436	352	449	484	466	1,461	...	73,913
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
16	14	22	22	11	16	13	16	24	19	16	3	25	...	2,587
2	13	3	4	9	8	8	7	3	6	6	3	7	...	2,806
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	180	...	180
55	67	88	50	56	78	104	143	121	134	143	144	94	...	11,173
32	41	50	18	54	57	46	93	89	68	72	49	347	...	3,439
22	27	26	42	43	21	28	32	54	54	58	63	37	...	2,806
1	3	4	3	3	1	...	1	12	4	1	2	8	...	347
3	2	...	...	...	1	...	4	10	26	50	103	9	...	737
2	2	3	1	3	1	2	...	1	...	1	4	32	...	783
...	6	11	4	7	3	9	10	14	16	24	8	4	...	947
990	1,330	1,191	754	957	995	1,106	1,280	1,374	1,536	1,659	1,323	2,572	...	147,776
19	16	16	13	14	14	13	19	28	35	25	7	1	...	3,521
46	40	60	30	45	36	39	60	60	56	32	14	18	...	6,232
34	35	40	27	38	35	50	57	29	41	18	28	11	...	2,633
48	63	39	30	35	29	38	60	72	43	58	66	...	...	4,646
125	116	102	93	84	98	124	126	93	117	50	63	707	...	34,757
...	1	1	1	1	1	3	...	1	...	...	...	10	...	1,110
3	1	...	1	1	1	1	3	...	...	1	...	1	...	767
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,160	...	1,166
24	48	35	32	28	35	57	65	62	106	55	47	37	...	6,897
13	11	34	11	17	34	6	48	36	17	9	10	6	...	2,519
22	35	28	32	31	35	36	20	39	47	23	10	46	...	1,804
...	2	8	1	1	2	1	2	7	...	...	...	2	...	306
3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	10	23	15	22	3	...	360
1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	68
8	12	8	7	15	14	18	11	22	19	14	9	36	...	1,006
94	39	123	11	13	6	12	10	16	12	19	71	91	1,719	3,795
440	419	495	290	323	341	398	481	475	510	319	347	2,137	1,719	71,527
22	17	6	11	6	10	16	13	49	29	31	20	1	...	3,207
63	70	94	54	59	61	55	83	80	54	23	20	23	...	10,010
39	59	39	47	28	38	40	60	38	38	21	41	16	...	3,568
15	21	5	7	17	5	5	17	27	21	18	...	...	...	733
146	125	150	167	159	143	167	119	133	98	54	85	215	...	37,640
9	16	14	9	3	7	6	7	17	5	10	1	18	...	4,377
2	2	4	4	1	4	5	4	3	2	1	1	...	...	720
4	2	4	4	5	3	7	11	11	8	2	1	...	...	246
9	4	5	10	15	8	7	2	6	11	5	4	3	...	379
...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2
309	317	321	314	293	279	308	316	365	266	166	173	276	...	60,888
1,739	2,066	2,007	1,358	1,573	1,615	1,812	2,077	2,214	2,312	2,144	1,843	4,985	1,719	280,191

Egyptian Forces are not included.
Artillery, West India Regiment, West African Regiment, etc.

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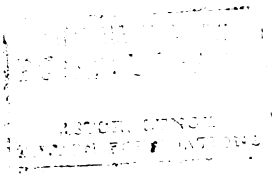

ment during the year ending 30th September, 1920.

	Royal Garrison Artillery.		Royal Engineers.		Infantry.		Labour Corps.		Royal Army Service Corps.		Royal Army Medical Corps.		Royal Army Ordnance Corps.		Royal Army Veterinary Corps.		Corps of Military Accountants.		Corps of Military Police.		Totals.	
	Short period men serving up to 30.4.20 at the latest.	One-year men.	Short period men serving up to 30.4.20 at the latest.	One-year men.	Short period men serving up to 30.4.20 at the latest.	One-year men.	Short period men serving up to 30.4.20 at the latest.	One-year men.	Short period men serving up to 30.4.20 at the latest.	One-year men.	Short period men serving up to 30.4.20 at the latest.	One-year men.	Short period men serving up to 30.4.20 at the latest.	One-year men.	Short period men serving up to 30.4.20 at the latest.	One-year men.	Short period men serving up to 30.4.20 at the latest.	One-year men.	Short period men serving up to 30.4.20 at the latest.	One-year men.	Short period men serving up to 30.4.20 at the latest.	One-year men.
Actual numbers of men enlisted or re-enlisted—																						
For Service up to 30th April, 1920, at the latest	...	...	4,409	...	7,045	...	17,164	...	401	...	...	...	140	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,159	...
For one year between the 1st October, 1918 and 30th Sept., 1919 (both dates inclusive)	...	11	...	3,004	...	1,201	...	...	...	3,148	...	1,461	...	529	...	5	...	...	...	597	...	9,956
For short periods (as above) transferred from other Corps before the completion of their period of engagement	...	...	7	6	1,682	3	...	...	1	15	...	1	...	...	...	...	77	1	...	...	1,767	26
Totals	...	11	4,416	3,010	8,727	1,204	17,164	...	402	3,163	...	1,462	140	529	...	5	77	1	...	597	30,926	9,982
Casualties before completion of period of engagement—																						
Transferred to other Corps ...	...	1	11	12	779	3	78	...	5	9	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	874	28
Struck off the strength for other causes	...	4	1,407	1,164	2,968	37	16,265	...	8	625	...	491	21	98	...	...	...	...	...	47	20,669	2,466
Discharged on completion of period of engagement ...	...	6	2,849	1,762	4,658	937	119	...	340	2,182	...	847	117	274	...	4	1	...	...	357	8,084	6,369
Extended for further service with the Colours	...	...	149	72	321	226	702	...	41	136	...	94	1	57	...	1	73	1	...	166	1,287	753
Extended for service with the Army Reserve	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	13	1	17
Not extended and still serving...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	210	...	29	...	97	...	...	3	...	...	13	11	349
Totals	...	11	4,416	3,010	8,727	1,204	17,164	...	402	3,163	...	1,462	140	529	...	5	77	1	...	597	30,926	9,982

* See notes on page 60.

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TABLE 5*.—AGES of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the regimental strength of the several Arms of the Service at Home, Overseas (except India), and in India on the 1st October, 1920.

	Trumpeters, Boys, &c., under 18 years.	Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.																			
		17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	40 to 45 years.	45 to 50 years.	50 years and over.	Not included in foregoing.	Total.
AT HOME.																					
Household Cavalry	8	...	26	103	69	34	38	46	98	133	103	76	47	46	169	97	35	4	...	...	1,132
Cavalry of the Line	337	149	1,821	2,265	680	370	326	290	326	345	235	247	206	192	515	449	239	62	6	...	9,060
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	584	8	539	3,425	852	454	460	626	848	908	733	494	406	464	867	776	168	22	7	...	12,641
Royal Garrison Artillery (including Artillery Clerks) ...	477	3	298	993	309	291	267	235	332	449	487	326	271	290	1,203	851	273	40	7	...	7,402
Royal Engineers	524	317	936	1,130	689	509	453	497	493	464	381	296	298	307	1,359	1,068	444	123	30	...	10,318
Royal Corps of Signals ...	2	9	41	23	9	8	10	7	7	2	...	1	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	124
Foot Guards	219	136	864	1,930	899	517	340	319	310	324	190	118	182	190	458	266	94	17	1	...	7,374
Infantry of the Line	2,643	1,362	11,202	16,652	10,888	5,409	3,726	3,140	3,182	2,675	2,122	1,662	1,441	1,427	5,281	2,873	563	126	19	...	76,393
Army Cyclist Corps	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Machine Gun Corps	4	8	157	544	196	218	200	135	185	156	130	80	72	78	325	69	36	...	...	...	2,587
Tank Corps	84	26	248	946	317	217	231	117	102	64	66	52	48	33	169	69	15	1	1	...	2,806
Labour Corps	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	7	4	10	9	16	33	14	16	13	51	...	180
Royal Army Service Corps ...	432	129	614	1,604	1,129	859	700	517	524	509	402	283	267	249	1,329	1,040	433	130	23	...	11,173
Royal Army Medical Corps ...	48	62	290	271	167	158	123	146	151	149	117	127	140	108	539	559	221	58	11	...	3,439
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	88	28	187	265	178	126	108	119	134	135	108	84	84	79	367	400	244	63	9	...	2,806
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	...	...	2	88	38	26	26	8	12	11	9	10	5	6	50	42	14	3	3	...	347
Royal Army Pay Corps ...	...	...	2	23	27	30	26	32	22	29	33	23	24	21	94	156	61	121	13	...	737
Corps of Military Accountants	5	...	16	20	16	24	24	22	29	33	35	43	28	32	159	130	99	51	17	...	783
Corps of Military Police ...	...	...	...	...	47	60	42	64	86	56	53	42	44	46	209	136	56	4	2	...	947
All Arms	5,455	2,237	17,243	30,282	16,505	9,310	7,094	6,316	6,846	6,449	5,208	3,974	3,572	3,584	13,131	8,995	3,011	838	200	...	150,250
OVERSEAS, EXCEPT INDIA.																					
Household Cavalry	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Cavalry of the Line	90	...	280	998	505	299	160	163	160	130	112	79	67	68	213	150	36	11	...	...	3,521
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	...	...	25	974	939	604	427	412	487	469	417	332	212	119	503	269	40	2	1	...	6,232
Royal Garrison Artillery (including Artillery Clerks) ...	43	3	47	328	249	147	139	113	148	192	146	144	108	98	407	271	45	5	...	...	2,633
Royal Engineers	30	2	60	209	388	325	267	239	208	226	175	140	126	143	714	662	416	173	74	...	4,046
Foot Guards	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Infantry of the Line	617	60	1,470	4,808	7,269	3,853	2,064	1,540	1,353	945	760	621	594	573	2,231	1,609	607	230	73	...	31,202

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Overseas, except India—*cont.*																				
Machine Gun Corps	...	...	11	201	128	144	106	147	111	71	28	39	18	22	41	31	12	...	...	...	1,110
Tank Corps	...	...	21	358	139	46	31	19	17	9	9	5	8	7	29	8	1	...	...	...	707
Labour Corps	...	...	2	10	13	33	31	28	24	28	24	30	16	17	120	209	346	192	43	...	1,166
Royal Army Service Corps ...	...	27	318	1,027	850	581	464	330	345	267	244	203	202	175	883	635	249	84	13	...	6,897
Royal Army Medical Corps ...	...	2	110	385	152	216	148	142	162	140	118	106	81	90	353	254	49	11	...	...	2,519
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	...	...	25	146	131	128	108	74	96	110	67	52	69	61	294	317	104	21	1	...	1,804
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	...	...	1	43	62	27	23	16	15	7	10	8	5	7	41	29	3	7	2	...	306
Royal Army Pay Corps ...	...	...	...	1	15	20	11	26	13	16	15	10	24	11	78	84	31	5	...	...	360
Corps of Military Accountants	...	...	...	1	3	3	5	2	8	3	4	4	3	4	15	7	6	...	...	...	68
Corps of Military Police ...	...	...	...	...	76	59	45	61	74	66	52	46	59	47	231	151	38	1	...	...	1,006
Colonial Corps†	47	...	125	70	88	93	107	123	188	167	143	123	125	67	236	144	52	30	2	1,865	3,795
All Arms	827	94	2,495	9,559	11,008	6,578	4,137	3,435	3,469	2,846	2,330	1,952	1,718	1,511	6,389	4,830	2,035	781	209	1,865	68,068
India.																					
Cavalry of the Line	72	...	80	955	693	212	167	118	130	114	90	78	67	73	164	109	52	32	1	...	3,207
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	92	...	54	2,333	1,490	631	471	641	685	611	485	470	424	377	704	479	56	7	...	...	10,010
Royal Garrison Artillery ...	31	3	33	189	287	218	235	168	257	311	235	173	194	184	626	351	61	11	1	...	3,568
Royal Engineers	...	...	...	55	74	47	49	51	52	45	44	29	49	53	114	65	6	...	...	...	733
Infantry of the Line	768	40	499	3,305	10,599	6,386	3,340	2,391	1,927	1,37	1,001	892	833	795	2,853	1,363	231	27	3	...	38,625
Machine Gun Corps	4	5	28	810	532	622	505	356	344	200	185	111	115	99	304	145	12	...	...	...	4,377
Royal Army Service Corps ...	...	...	5	47	100	133	86	42	33	40	29	20	25	18	89	38	12	3	...	...	720
Royal Army Medical Corps ...	...	...	3	41	24	22	12	9	12	8	9	11	11	1	43	32	8	...	...	...	246
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	...	...	...	46	37	23	30	12	20	23	20	14	19	14	50	48	20	3	...	...	379
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	1	...	...	...	6
Royal Army Pay Corps ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2
All Arms	967	48	702	7,781	13,836	8,294	4,896	3,788	3,460	2,725	2,098	1,798	1,737	1,614	4,950	2,631	460	83	5	...	61,873
General total	7,249	2,379	20,440	47,622	41,349	24,182	16,127	13,539	13,775	12,020	9,636	7,724	7,027	6,709	24,470	16,456	5,506	1,702	414	1,865	280,191

* Indian Native Troops and Local Egyptian Forces are not included.
† Includes the Royal Malta Artillery, West India Regiment, West African Regiment, etc.

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TABLE 6*—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the regimental strength of the Army, on the 1st October in each of the years 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1920.

Year.	Proportion per 1,000 Men.								
	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.	Not reported (Colonial troops).
1911, 1st October....	20	45	72	481	228	89	53	12	....
1912 ,, ,, ...	21	45	79	466	237	91	50	11	....
1913 ,, ,, ...	21	44	76	467	244	88	48	12	....
†1920, 1st October	34	73	170	389	154	87	59	27	7

NOTE.—Particulars for the years 1914 to 1919 inclusive are not available.
* Indian native troops and local Egyptian Forces are not included.
† For 1920 Warrant Officers are included.

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TABLE 7.—SERVICES of Warrant Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers serving on the PERMANENT STAFF of the TERRITORIAL FORCE on the 1st October, 1920.

Arm from which transferred.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	12 to 13 years.	13 to 14 years.	14 to 15 years.	15 to 16 years.	16 to 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 years and over.	Total.
Household Cavalary	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	1	2
Cavalry of the Line	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	1	2	5	7	21	25	14	80
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	....	30	....	....	2	....	4	3	4	10	9	31	33	27	32	35	31	38	41	43	58	18	449
Royal Garrison Artillery	....	5	....	....	....	....	4	3	1	3	3	12	17	10	17	11	18	16	14	5	3	3	145
Royal Engineers	2	9	....	1	....	....	1	1	....	4	1	10	7	4	6	7	6	5	14	14	10	6	108
Foot Guards	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	1	1	....	4	2	1	....	14
Infantry	100	105	....	....	1	4	17	4	4	6	7	11	23	29	35	46	32	55	49	70	53	62	713
Tank Corps	4	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	1	....	12
Royal Army Service Corps	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	1	....	3	3	3	4	5	8	10	5	5	....	50
Royal Army Medical Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	3	3	4	....	4	1	3	10	4	5	2	2	42
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	1	....	1	....	1	3	1	....	....	10
Total	108	157	....	1	3	4	26	11	10	25	25	69	90	74	101	107	98	138	146	167	159	106	1,625

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PART VIII.—NATIONALITIES, RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS, AND EDUCATIONAL ACQUIREMENTS.

TABLE 1*.—NATIONALITIES of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the regimental strength of the several Arms of the Service on the 1st October, 1920.

—	Born in England.	Born in Wales.	Born in Scotland.	Born in Ireland.	Born in India or the Colonies.	British Subjects Born in Foreign Countries.	Foreigners.	Not Recorded or not Reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	1,025	10	40	39	18	1	....	....	1,133
Cavalry of the Line	13,556	244	757	1,020	188	23	....	....	15,788
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	24,266	658	1,314	1,956	653	36	....	....	28,883
Royal Garrison Artillery (including Artillery Clerks)	11,054	243	505	1,396	353	50	2	....	13,603
Royal Engineers	12,983	583	948	831	318	33	1	....	15,697
Royal Corps of Signals	109	....	7	4	4	....	....	....	124
Foot Guards	5,832	278	576	650	28	14	....	1	7,379
Infantry of the Line	114,546	3,951	13,480	12,492	1,152	450	41	198	146,310
Army Cyclist Corps	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
Machine Gun Corps	7,132	110	394	392	29	11	6	....	8,074
Tank Corps	3,098	34	254	103	19	5	....	....	3,513
Labour Corps	1,123	22	94	86	10	3	8	....	1,346
Royal Army Service Corps	14,649	583	1,466	1,618	364	104	6	....	18,790
Royal Army Medical Corps	4,973	127	413	617	69	5	....	....	6,204
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	3,999	77	385	383	133	11	1	....	4,989
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	524	50	41	39	5	....	....	....	659
Royal Army Pay Corps	968	11	49	53	16	2	....	....	1,099
Corps of Military Accountants	720	18	59	32	10	2	....	10	851
Corps of Military Police	1,486	51	213	175	25	3	....	....	1,953
Colonial Corps †	2	....	....	....	2,072	....	2	1,719	3,795
Total	222,046	7,050	20,995	21,886	5,466	753	67	1,928	280,191

* Indian Native Troops and local Egyptian Forces are not included.
† Includes Royal Malta Artillery, West India Regiment, West African Regiment, etc.

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TABLE 2*.—NATIONALITIES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the regimental strength of the Army on the 1st October in each of the years 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1920.

Year.	Born in England.	Born in Wales.	Born in Scotland.	Born in Ireland.	Born in India or the Colonies.	British Subjects Born in Foreign Countries.	Foreigners.	Not Recorded or not Reported.	Total.
1911, 1st October	185,666	3,075	18,581	21,860	8,087	335	4	114	237,722
1912 ,, ,, ...	183,891	3,076	18,258	21,421	7,838	302	1	114	234,901
1913 ,, ,, ...	179,237	3,124	17,282	20,780	7,574	303	1	120	228,421
1920 ,, ,, †	222,046	7,050	20,995	21,886	5,466	753	67	1,928	280,191

NOTE.—Details for the years 1914 to 1919 inclusive are not available.

* Indian Native Troops and local Egyptian Forces are not included.

† For 1920 the numbers include Warrant Officers.

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TABLE 3*.—RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the regimental strength of the several Arms of the Service on the 1st October, 1920.

——	Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Baptists or Congregationalists.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Jews.	Mahometans, Hindoos, &c.	Not Reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	991	45	23	19	12	42	1	....	....	1,133
Cavalry of the Line	12,358	798	541	377	127	1,568	19	....	....	15,788
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	21,957	1,293	1,243	525	278	3,555	32	....	....	28,883
Royal Garrison Artillery (including Artillery Clerks)	10,150	480	589	293	128	1,881	18	....	64	13,603
Royal Engineers	11,847	846	778	379	90	1,733	23	1	....	15,697
Royal Corps of Signals	94	6	6	2	2	11	3	....	....	124
Foot Guards	5,380	542	260	135	96	951	15	....	....	7,379
Infantry of the Line	102,653	11,988	5,283	2,239	1,315	21,849	520	2	461	146,310
Army Cyclist Corps	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
Machine Gun Corps	6,360	412	279	118	76	811	18	....	....	8,074
Tank Corps	2,767	236	110	60	42	293	5	....	....	3,513
Labour Corps	1,016	79	43	18	9	171	10	....	....	1,346
Royal Army Service Corps	13,119	1,337	830	342	220	2,912	30	....	....	18,790
Royal Army Medical Corps	4,251	416	291	146	53	969	22	....	56	6,204
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	3,585	367	246	124	58	598	11	....	....	4,989
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	512	25	17	9	6	90	....	....	....	659
Royal Army Pay Corps	836	55	51	31	14	110	2	....	....	1,099
Corps of Military Accountants	640	56	45	39	8	52	1	....	10	851
Corps of Military Police	1,434	167	63	20	9	260	....	....	....	1,953
Colonial Corps †	27	2	9	1	14	465	....	1,558	1,719	3,795
Total	199,978	19,150	10,707	4,877	2,557	38,321	730	1,561	2,310	280,191

* Indian Native Troops and local Egyptian Forces are not included. † Includes Royal Malta Artillery, West India Regiment, West African Regiment, etc.

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TABLE 4*.—RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the regimental strength of the Army on the 1st October in each of the years 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1920.

Year.	Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Baptists and Congregationalists.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Jews.	Mahometans, Hindoos, &c.	Not Reported.	Total.	Year.
1911, 1st October	167,281	17,433	10,481	3,983	1,546	34,613	233	2,152	....	237,722	1911
1912 ,, ...	165,668	16,918	10,166	3,970	1,586	34,266	232	2,095	....	234,901	1912
1913 ,, ...	161,232	15,971	9,755	3,937	1,589	33,662	236	2,039	....	228,421	1913
1920 ,, †	199,978	19,150	10,707	4,877	2,557	38,321	730	1,561	2,310	280,191	1920

NOTE.—Details for the years 1914 to 1919 inclusive are not available.

* Indian Native Troops and local Egyptian Forces are not included.

† For 1920 the numbers include Warrant Officers.

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TABLE 5*.—EDUCATIONAL ACQUIREMENTS of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the regimental strength of the several Arms of the Service on the 1st October, 1920.

	Men in possession of Certificates on 1st October, 1920.					Number not in possession of any Certificate.	Not reported.	Total Strength on the 1st October, 1920.	Percentage of Certificated to Strength.	Certificates gained during the Year ending 30th September, 1920.				
	Special Army Certificate.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	Total.					Special Army Certificate.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	Total.
Household Cavalry	3	55	452	313	823	310	....	1,133	72·6	....	14	136	109	259
Cavalry of the Line	....	249	2,292	2,872	5,413	10,375	....	15,788	34·3	....	15	894	1,847	2,756
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	....	377	4,441	5,419	10,237	18,646	....	28,883	35·4	....	39	1,254	2,680	3,973
Royal Garrison Artillery (including Artillery Clerks)	....	526	3,054	2,145	5,725	7,878	....	13,603	42·1	....	44	697	806	1,547
Royal Engineers	....	730	3,479	2,678	6,887	8,810	....	15,697	43·9	....	93	346	871	1,310
Royal Corps of Signals	....	....	....	....	....	124	....	124	....	....	....	....	....	....
Foot Guards....	4	112	1,615	2,032	3,763	3,616	....	7,379	51·0	1	23	855	1,644	2,523
Infantry of the Line	26	1,672	17,843	25,212	44,753	101,557	....	146,310	30·6	5	125	8,387	18,859	27,376
Army Cyclist Corps	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....
Machine Gun Corps	6	48	579	995	1,628	6,446	....	8,074	20·2	6	4	366	825	1,201
Tank Corps	1	20	370	398	789	2,724	....	3,513	22·5	1	4	246	320	571
Labour Corps	....	....	....	....	....	1,346	....	1,346	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Army Service Corps	15	722	1,627	923	3,287	15,503	....	18,790	17·5	2	30	327	433	792
Royal Army Medical Corps	....	340	1,003	441	1,784	4,420	....	6,204	28·8	....	1	83	25	109
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	....	492	899	452	1,843	3,146	....	4,989	36·9	....	21	117	290	428
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	....	9	69	67	145	514	....	659	22·0	....	....	13	37	50
Royal Army Pay Corps	....	248	337	20	605	494	....	1,099	55·1	....	....	....	....	....
Corps of Military Accountants	2	23	32	10	67	784	....	851	7·9	....	....	11	3	14
Corps of Military Police	....	13	192	165	370	1,583	....	1,953	18·9	....	....	18	38	56
Colonial Corps †	....	4	106	48	158	1,918	1,719	3,795	7·6	....	....	24	28	52
Total	57	5,640	38,390	44,190	88,277	190,195	1,719	280,191	31·7	15	413	13,774	28,815	43,017
Percentage of certificated to strength	....	2·0	13·8	15·9	31·7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Indian Native Troops and local Egyptian Forces are not included. † Includes Royal Malta Artillery, West India Regiment, West African Regiment, etc.

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TABLE 6*.—EDUCATIONAL ACQUIREMENTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the regimental strength of the Army on the 1st of October in each of the years 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1920, and Educational Attainments of Recruits for the years 1911, 1912 and 1913.

Date.	Strength.	Men in Possession of Certificates.					Percentage of Certificated to Strength.	Certificates Gained during preceding 12 Months.					Educational Attainments of Recruits Enlisted during preceding 12 Months.‡					
		Special Army Certificate.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	Total.		Special Army Certificate.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	Total.	Class A.	Class B.	Class C.	Class D.	Class E.	Total No. examined.
1911, 1st October ...	237,722	...	10,122	68,599	89,427	168,148	70·74	...	1,534	10,596	23,114	35,244	1,643	7,035	8,506	8,060	2,951	28,195
1912 ,, ,, ...	234,901	...	10,355	69,761	92,554	172,670	73·51	...	1,182	10,254	22,139	33,575	1,591	6,873	8,727	8,620	3,208	29,019
1913 ,, ,, ...	228,421	...	11,287	68,579	93,386	173,252	75·84	...	1,344	10,229	20,850	32,423	1,570	6,789	8,130	7,648	2,956	27,093
†1920, 1st October ...	280,191§	57	5,640	38,390	44,190	88,277	31·7	15	413	13,774	28,815	43,017	Information not available.					

NOTE.—Details for the years 1914 to 1919 inclusive are not available.

* Indian Native Troops and local Egyptian Forces are not included.

‡ Colonial Corps recruits are not included.

Class A :—Men of good education who can read a Standard VII Reader, write composition on a subject about which they can be expected to have some information, and work compound rules of arithmetic, vulgar fractions, and mensuration of rectangles and rectangular solids.

Class B :—Men of fair education who can read a Standard V Reader, in writing reproduce a story read twice, and work the compound rules of arithmetic.

Class C :—Men of moderate education who can read a Standard III Reader, write dictation from a Standard III Reader, and in arithmetic, work the simple rules and money.

Class D :—Men of inferior education who can read a Standard II Reader, write dictation from a Standard II Reader, and work very easy problems with small numbers on the simple rules of arithmetic.

Class E :—Illiterate, *i.e.*, men who fail to reach Class D.

† For 1920 the numbers include Warrant Officers.

§ Of this number the educational acquirements of 1,719 men belonging to Colonial units were not reported.

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PART IX.—HORSES, MULES, &c.

TABLE 1.—STRENGTH and DISTRIBUTION of the PUBLIC ANIMALS on the British Establishment on the 1st October, 1920.

—	Strength on British Establishment (Horses and Mules).														
	H.Q. and Staff.	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse & Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Machine Gun Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Military Police.	Territorial Force.	Remount Depots.	Veterinary Hospitals.	Totals, Horses and Mules.
AT HOME.															
England and Wales ...	452	823	2,575	4,319	840	897	238	718	352	984	80	33	1,539	311	14,161
Scotland	....	....	331	264	30	....	....	84	....	....	....	6	26	....	741
Ireland	76	....	2,387	1,544	246	110	....	1,149	181	376	8	....	466	123	6,666
Channel Islands	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2
Total	530	823	5,293	6,127	1,116	1,007	238	1,951	533	1,360	88	39	2,031	434	21,570†*
IN THE COLONIES, &c.															
Aden	64	....	239	....	144	54	....	145	....	1,209	....	....	311	39	2,205
South Africa	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2
Bermuda	47	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	47
Jamaica	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	10
Straits Settlements	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4
Mauritius	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8
Gibraltar	11	....	....	....	16	1	....	6	....	147	....	....	....	....	181
Malta....	48	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	70	....	....	....	....	118
North China	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	39	....	....	....	....	39
South China	....	....	....	....	199	....	....	32	....	97	....	....	....	....	328
Total	184	....	239	....	359	55	....	183	....	1,572	....	....	311	39	2,942‡
Total, Home and Colonies	714	823	5,532	6,127	1,475	1,062	238	2,134	533	2,932	88	39	2,342	473	24,512

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—	Horses.	Mules.	Camels.	Donkeys.	Oxen.	Total.
France and Flanders	108	267	....	....	....	375
Rhine	2,651	820	....	....	....	3,471
Black Sea	2,758	3,636	....	....	....	6,394
Mesopotamia	15,324	29,644	12	....	3,909	48,889
Egypt	9,605	12,965	1,817	41	....	24,428
Total	30,446	47,332	1,829	41	3,909	83,557

SUMMARY, ALL ANIMALS.

Horses	52,494
Mules	49,796
Camels	1,829
Donkeys	41
Oxen	3,909
	108,069†

* Includes 1,926 mules.
‡ Includes 538 mules.
† Excludes 674 "boarded out" under Cavalry scheme, and 14,252 "boarded out" under Territorial Force scheme.

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PART X.—ARMY RESERVE.

TABLE 1.—STRENGTH of the ARMY RESERVE on the 1st October in each year from 1911, showing the Arms of the Service from which the men were transferred.

	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Malta Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Royal Flying Corps (Military Wing).	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Cyclist Corps.	Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Corps of Military Police.	Army Post Office Corps.	Total.
1st October, 1911—																						
All Sections ...	217	10,527	17,577	7,750	145	5,555	—	—	8,705	75,720	—	—	—	—	6,504	4,859	817	79	9	—	67	138,531
1st October, 1912—																						
Section A	—	—	674	—	—	424	—	—	245	3,972	—	—	—	—	274	179	—	—	—	—	—	5,768
,, B	181	7,272	13,584	6,629	111	4,413	—	—	7,028	56,064	—	—	—	—	5,898	4,053	863	80	4	—	50	106,230
,, D	41	2,942	3,882	213	—	702	—	—	1,473	16,233	—	—	—	—	915	572	95	11	—	—	—	27,079
Total ...	222	10,214	18,140	6,842	111	5,539	—	—	8,746	76,269	—	—	—	—	7,087	4,804	958	91	4	—	50	139,077
1st October, 1913—																						
Section A	—	—	670	—	—	426	—	—	250	3,984	—	—	—	—	249	244	—	—	—	—	—	5,823
,, B	167	6,800	13,694	6,023	102	4,079	—	10	6,959	55,551	—	—	—	—	5,846	3,982	799	83	1	—	—	104,096
,, D	61	3,647	4,645	259	—	959	—	2	1,566	21,816	—	—	—	—	1,281	737	175	23	—	—	—	35,171
Total ...	228	10,447	19,009	6,282	102	5,464	—	12	8,775	81,351	—	—	—	—	7,376	4,963	974	106	1	—	—	145,090
1st October, 1914—																						
Section A	—	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	8	6	—	—	—	—	—	43
,, B	8	290	835	285	1	249	—	—	242	2,051	—	—	—	—	335	225	65	2	—	—	—	4,588
,, D	—	45	97	5	—	11	—	—	11	337	—	—	—	—	25	11	3	—	—	—	—	545
Total ...	8	335	952	290	1	260	—	—	253	2,397	—	—	—	—	368	242	68	2	—	—	—	5,176
1st October, 1915—																						
Section A	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
,, B	—	17	78	35	—	13	—	—	27	317	—	—	—	—	74	—	12	—	—	—	—	573
,, D	—	4	5	1	—	1	—	—	3	34	—	—	—	—	8	2	4	—	—	—	—	62
Total ...	—	21	83	36	—	14	—	—	30	351	—	—	—	—	83	2	16	—	—	—	—	636

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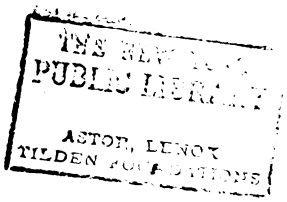
TABLE 2.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the ARMY RESERVE, BY ARMS, during the year ending 30th September, 1920.

—	Section B.																				Section D.										Classes P and T.					Class W.									Class Z.																Grand Total, Sections B and D and Classes P and T, W and Z.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Cyclist Corps.	Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Malta Artillery.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Corps of Military Police.	Total.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Infantry of the Line.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Total.	Infantry of the Line.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Labour Corps.	Total.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Machine Gun Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Labour Corps.	Total.	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Cyclist Corps.	Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Corps of Military Police.	Total.	
Strength on 1st October, 1919	89	3,527	14,833	3,274	5,338	....	3,329	19,111	288	2,509	314	1,976	...	5,069	2,976	537	102	12	265	63,549	1	2	....	15	....	4	....	1	....	23	2	2	1	....	5	4	16	21	5	2,268	14	5	12	....	2,345	793	18,941	171,245	114,804	231,846	24,148	713,225	3,991	78,861	14,875	253,756	221,038	2,798	26,150	....	7,267	6,708	1,890,446	1,956,368
INCREASE.																																																														
From the Colours	99	1,253	5,060	1,380	1,511	20	497	6,569	17	679	118	265	67	559	298	166	20	8	127	18,713	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	110	....	....	....	....	110	75	7,393	27,800	23,425	45,117	4,984	225,975	1,244	22,436	2,922	51,711	65,219	1,265	10,672	21,284	2,760	1,551	515,833	534,658
Enlisted into Section D	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	18	40	314	8	....	99	16	118	613	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	613
Re-engaged for Section D.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8	4	19	....	....	3	1	....	35	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	35
Transferred from other Arms	3	26	31	4	10	....	8	174	....	....	....	....	....	41	3	2	....	....	....	302	....	....	7	1	....	....	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	310
Rejoined from absence	....	2	....	....	2	....	1	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	16	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	18
Other causes	59	88	208	34	....	1,381	538	1,048	1	....	8	....	....	....	64	4	....	1	....	3,434	....	....	....	6	1	....	....	....	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	51	55	....	....	....	1	....	....	1,992	....	649	....	....	....	....	....	2,642	6,138
Total Increase	161	1,369	5,299	1,418	1,523	1,401	1,044	7,801	18	679	126	265	67	600	366	172	20	9	127	22,465	....	26	51	340	9	2	104	17	118	667	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	114	....	....	....	51	165	75	7,393	27,800	23,425	45,117	4,984	225,976	1,244	22,436	4,914	51,711	65,868	1,265	10,672	21,284	2,760	1,551	518,475	541,772
DECREASE.																																																														
Died	....	7	22	7	13	....	7	49	1	4	....	2	....	14	6	1	....	1	....	134	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	2	....	27	....	4	10	3	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	48	182
Discharged—																																																														
On completion of engagement	36	717	1,269	641	649	....	338	4,055	19	438	75	136	2	143	496	80	29	...	60	9,183	1	....	....	7	...	2	....	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	9,193
As invalids	1	109	628	318	581	....	210	2,065	....	147	11	824	....	446	34	24	4	8	52	5,462	....	....	....	2	....	1	2	....	....	5	2	1	1	....	4	....	....	....	....	1	13	....	....	....	14	....	1,634	....	....	....	....	1	577	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	7	2,895	8,380
For misconduct	....	2	....	1	....	....	3	9	....	....	1	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	18	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	27
Miscellaneous (including men released from Class Z under Army Order 98 of 1920)	11	57	727	52	131	....	664	627	284	58	2	9	21	69	182	59	....	1	3	2,957	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	....	1	4	16	20	5	2,373	1	5	11	49	2,484	860	24,636	199,045	137,483	276,963	28,924	931,407	5,190	101,134	19,780	303,500	286,906	4,039	36,822	21,284	10,024	8,214	2,396,211	2,401,654
Total discharged	48	885	2,624	1,012	1,361	....	1,215	6,756	303	643	89	970	23	659	712	163	33	9	115	17,620	1	....	....	10	....	3	2	....	....	16	2	2	1	....	5	4	16	20	5	2,382	14	5	11	49	2,506	860	26,270	199,045	137,484	276,963	28,925	931,984	5,190	101,134	19,780	304,174	286,906	4,039	36,822	21,284	10,026	8,221	2,399,107	2,419,254
Re-transferred to the Colours	3	67	434	118	129	....	48	617	1	83	3	53	1	71	68	15	....	1	....	1,712	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	52	....	535	....	102	5,291	17	139	9	1,293	....	20	....	....	....	....	30	7,494	9,206
Struck off for absence	....	7	1	....	49	....	10	35	....	....	....	1	....	....	9	....	....	....	2	114	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	117
Re-engaged for Section D	....	....	....	....	8	4	....	16	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	1	....	....	32	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	32
Transferred to other Arms	....	....	1	3	....	....	29	18	1	....	....	72	....	1	....	....	....	....	119	244	....	7	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	252
Other causes (including re-enlistments	1	1	13	9	1,387	....	14	23	....	....	....	1,097	....	631	11	1	1	....	....	3,189	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	1	10	....	183	...	101	1,916	25	24	....	....	....	3	....	....	1	8	2,272	5,463
Total Decrease	52	967	3,095	1,149	2,947	4	1,323	7,514	306	730	92	2,195	24	1,379	806	181	34	11	236	23,045	1	7	....	10	....	5	2	....	....	25	2	2	1	....	5	4	16	21	5	2,382	14	5	12	51	2,510	868	26,334	199,045	138,229	276,963	29,132	939,201	5,235	101,297	19,789	305,467	286,906	4,063	36,822	21,284	10,027	8,259	2,408,921	2,434,506
Net increase	109	402	2,204	269	....	1,397	....	287	....	....	34	....	43	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	19	51	330	9	....	102	17	118	642	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	2	1	....	5	4	16	21	5	2,268	14	5	12	....	2,345	793	18,941	171,245	114,804	231,846	24,148	713,225	3,991	78,861	14,875	253,756	221,038	2,798	26,150	....	7,267	6,708	1,890,446	1,892,734
Net decrease	....	....	....	....	1,424	....	279	....	288	51	....	1,930	....	779	440	9	14	2	109	580	1	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	63,634
Strength on 1st October, 1920	198	3,929	17,037	3,543	3,914	1,397	3,050	19,398	....	2,458	348	46	43	4,290	2,536	528	88	10	156	62,969	....	21	51	345	9	1	102	18	118	665	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....



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	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Malta Artillery	Royal Engineers.	Royal Corps of Signals.	Royal Flying Corps (Military Wing).	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Cyclist Corps.	Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Corps of Military Police.	Army Post Office Corps.	Total.
1st October, 1916—																						
Section A	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
,, B	—	3	72	15	—	10	—	—	6	320	—	—	—	—	63	3	8	—	—	—	—	500
,, D	—	1	5	1	—	—	—	—	1	12	—	—	—	—	8	2	2	—	—	—	—	32
Total ...	—	4	77	16	—	10	—	—	7	332	—	—	—	—	72	5	10	—	—	—	—	533
1st October, 1917—																						
Section A	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
,, B	—	1	72	7	—	7	—	—	2	101	—	—	—	—	44	2	6	—	—	—	—	242
,, D	—	—	5	1	—	—	—	—	1	6	—	—	—	—	5	—	1	—	—	—	—	19
Classes P & T ...	—	1	181	82	—	551	—	9	35	5,645	1	88	—	—	352	117	—	66	—	—	—	7,128
Class W	5	267	1,515	491	—	1,146	—	771	233	24,680	84	499	—	—	1,488	893	64	200	131	—	—	32,467
Total ...	5	269	1,773	581	—	1,704	—	780	271	30,432	85	587	—	—	1,889	1,012	71	266	131	—	—	39,856
1st October, 1918—																						
Section A	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
,, B	—	1	71	6	—	7	—	—	2	151	—	1	—	—	44	1	4	—	—	—	—	288
,, D	—	—	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	5	—	1	—	—	—	—	16
Classes P & T ...	—	293	1,415	675	—	1,152	—	—	429	8,687	24	437	39	—	993	1,224	151	155	69	—	—	15,743
Class W	13	1,235	3,287	1,612	—	12,743	—	—	342	39,724	145	590	71	—	2,522	2,156	248	277	436	—	—	65,401
Total ...	13	1,529	4,778	2,294	—	13,902	—	—	773	48,566	169	1,028	110	—	3,564	3,381	404	432	505	—	—	81,448
1st October, 1919—																						
Section A	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
,, B	89	3,637	14,830	3,277	—	5,338	—	—	3,329	19,266	288	2,509	314	1,976	5,069	2,976	537	102	12	—	—	63,549
,, D	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	15	—	—	—	4	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	23
Classes P & T ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	5
Class W	—	4	16	21	—	—	—	—	5	2,268	—	14	—	—	5	12	—	—	—	—	—	2,345
,, Z	793	20,688	171,245	114,804	—	231,846	—	—	24,148	718,186	3,991	78,861	14,875	253,756	221,038	2,798	26,150	—	7,267	—	—	1,890,446
Total ...	882	24,329	186,091	118,103	—	237,186	—	—	27,482	739,737	4,279	81,384	15,189	255,736	226,114	5,787	26,688	102	7,279	—	—	1,956,368
1st October, 1920—																						
Section A	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
,, B	198	3,929	17,037	3,543	43	3,914	1,397	—	3,050	19,398	—	2,458	348	46	4,290	2,536	528	88	10	156	—	62,969
,, D	—	—	—	—	—	21	51	—	—	345	—	—	9	1	102	—	18	118	—	—	—	665
Total ...	198	3,929	17,037	3,543	43	3,935	1,448	—	3,050	19,743	—	2,458	357	47	4,392	2,536	546	206	10	156†	—	*63,634

For notes on the various Sections of the Army Reserve see pages 104 & 105.

* Of this number 747 Army Reservists have been given permission to reside abroad.

† In previous years, the Military Mounted Police are included with the Cavalry, and the Military Foot Police with the Infantry.

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TABLE 3.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the ARMY

Years

—	30th Sept., 1911.		30th Sept., 1912.		30th Sept., 1913.		30th Sept., 1914.		30th Sept., 1915.		30th Sept., 1916.	
	Secs. A and B.	Sec. D.	Secs. A and B.	Sec. D.	Secs. A and B.	Sec. D.	Secs. A and B.	Sec. D.	Secs. A and B.	Sec. D.	Secs. A and B.	Sec. D.
Strength at beginning of year	119,618	16,091	116,861	21,670	111,998	27,079	109,919	35,171	4,631	545	574	62
INCREASE.												
From the Colours	13,527	45	17,269	136	18,428	156	15,161	144	67	15	154	—
Enlisted in Section D ...	—	1,829	—	1,782	—	1,693	—	1,879	—	2	—	—
Re-engaged for Section D	—	6,030	—	8,462	—	7,999	—	7,357	—	—	—	—
Rejoined from absence ...	255	9	274	22	249	22	820	78	296	30	12	2
From Class P to Class W	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
From Class W to Class P...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other causes	8	3	11	7	43	5	9	3	43	7	22	—
Total Increase ...	13,790	7,916	17,554	10,409	18,720	9,875	15,990	9,461	406	54	188	2
DECREASE.												
Died	532	94	543	133	492	125	455	164	22	2	7	1
Discharged—												
On completion of engagement	8,250	2,127	11,599	4,696	10,515	1,186	9,592	4,448	17	3	31	5
As invalids	119	20	152	21	133	38	1,083	363	694	139	25	3
By purchase	39	—	50	2	50	—	33	1	2	—	—	—
Free by indulgence ...	3	3	7	11	27	252	4	128	1	—	—	—
For misconduct ...	267	19	248	35	192	34	172	31	6	—	5	—
Miscellaneous	38	3	48	3	91	24	62	5	132	5	15	1
Total discharged ...	8,716	2,172	12,104	4,768	11,008	1,534	10,946	4,976	852	147	76	9
To the Colours	16	—	18	—	28	—	101,165	38,651	3,197	349	98	8
Struck off for absence ...	1,232	70	1,269	93	1,239	120	1,487	295	386	38	57	13
From Class P to Class W...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
From Class W to Class P...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Re-engaged for Section D	6,030	—	8,462	—	7,999	—	7,191	—	—	—	—	—
To Class B, Army Reserve	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To Royal Air Force ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other causes	21	4	21	6	33	4	34	1	6	1	23	1
Total Decrease ...	16,547	2,340	22,417	5,000	20,799	1,783	121,278	44,087	4,463	537	261	32
Net Increase	—	5,576	—	5,409	—	8,092	—	—	—	—	—	—
Net Decrease	2,757	—	4,863	—	2,079	—	105,288	34,626	4,057	483	73	30
Strength at end of year ...	116,861	21,670	111,998	27,079	109,919	35,171	4,631	545	574	62	501	32

NOTE AS TO THE VARIOUS SECTIONS

Section B is the ordinary Reserve, and consists of men completing, in the Reserve, the term of their original engagement. It now includes Section C, in which men who had converted a period of Colour service into Reserve service used to serve until the time when their correct date of transfer to the Reserve arrived, when they passed into Section B.

Section A consists of men who undertake a liability to be called out in stated circumstances without the general Reserve being mobilized; the undertaking is for the period required to complete one year from the date of their first transfer to the Reserve, and in certain circumstances for a further year. It was established by Royal Warrant of 8th October, 1898 (Army Order 142 of 1898).

Section D consists of men who, having completed the term of their original engagement (12 years), either with the Colours or in the Reserve, or having been discharged after 12 years' service, provided that not more than 15 years have elapsed since the date of first attestation (Army Order 212 of 1913), re-engage (or re-enlist) for a further period of four years in the Reserve. Men of certain trades are allowed to re-engage for further periods of four years in Section D or, if they are within four years of attaining age 50, till the attainment of that age.

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RESERVE during each year from 1910–11.

ending.

30th Sept., 1917.				30th Sept., 1918.				30th Sept., 1919.					30th Sept., 1920.				
Secs. A and B.	Sec. D.	Classes P and T.	Class W.	Secs. A and B.	Sec. D.	Classes P and T.	Class W.	Secs. A and B.	Sec. D.	Classes P and T.	Class W.	Class Z.	Secs. A and B.	Sec. D.	Classes P and T	Class W.	Class Z.
501	32	—	—	242	19	7,128	32,467	288	16	15,743	65,401	—	63,549	23	5	2,345	1,890,446
135	—	7,814	46,422	67	—	15,058	40,843	77,556	169	11,803	22,541	1,908,427	18,713	2	—	110	515,833
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	613	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	35	—	—	—
—	—	—	2	—	—	4	93	44	2	—	1	—	16	2	—	—	—
—	—	—	11	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	937	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	4,044	—	—	—	689	—	—	—	58	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1	—	—	7	9	—	1,373	13,839	1,391	16	49	197	809	3,492	7	—	55	2,642
136	—	11,858	46,442	76	—	17,124	54,783	78,991	187	11,910	23,676	1,909,236	22,221	659	—	165	518,475
—	—	1	39	—	—	14	70	46	—	6	58	174	134	—	—	—	48
35	10	—	—	4	1	—	—	3,967	109	—	—	—	9,183	10	—	—	—
3	—	7	2,469	1	—	1,269	5,199	8,084	18	5,090	4,420	1,316	5,462	5	4	14	2,895
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	18	—	—	8	1
2	—	4,414	53	1	—	3,858	341	1,599	7	21,237	79,246	10,759	2,957	1	1	2,484	2,396,211
40	10	4,421	2,522	6	1	5,127	5,540	13,650	134	26,327	83,668	12,075	17,620	16	5	2,506	2,399,107
16	2	261	7,062	15	—	436	10,262	409	4	152	1,208	1,493	1,712	—	—	—	7,494
26	1	—	196	3	—	97	119	47	1	—	21	—	114	—	—	3	—
—	—	11	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	937	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	4,044	—	—	—	686	—	—	—	58	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	32	—	—	—	—
274	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	5	938	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
39	—	36	112	6	2	2,828	4,234	1,578	41	226	1,719	5,048	3,189	1	—	1	2,272
395	13	4,730	13,975	30	3	8,509	21,849	15,730	180	27,648	86,732	18,790	22,801	17	5	2,510	2,408,921
—	—	7,128	32,467	46	—	8,615	32,934	63,261	7	—	—	1,890,446	—	642	—	—	—
259	13	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	15,738	63,056	—	580	—	5	2,345	1,890,446
242	19	7,128	32,467	288	16	15,743	65,401	63,549	23	5	2,345	1,890,446	62,969	665	—	—	—

OF THE ARMY RESERVE.

Class W consisted of soldiers transferred to the Reserve whose services were deemed to be more valuable to the country in civil than in military employment. Such Reservists were liable at any time to be recalled to the Colours (Army Order 203 of 1916).

Class T consisted of skilled tradesmen of certain specified trades whose services were deemed for the time being to be more valuable to the country in civil than in military employment. They were liable to be recalled at any time to the Colours (Army Order 355 of 1916).

Class P consisted of men fit for service in a medical category not lower than C.III, whose services were deemed to be temporarily of greater value to the country in civil life than in the Army, and who had contracted disabilities which, if they had been discharged, would have rendered them eligible for consideration for a disability pension, or who were qualified by length of service to receive a pension. They were liable at any time to be recalled to the Colours (Army Order 355 of 1916).

Class Z included all men released from service with the Colours on the expiration of their demobilization furlough, except men discharged as unfit for further service, men of the Army Reserve who had not completed their periods of engagement, etc. Soldiers in Class Z were liable at any time to be recalled to the Colours in case of urgent military necessity (Army Order 1 of 1919).

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TABLE 4.—SERVICES of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men transferred or relegated to the ARMY RESERVE from the COLOURS during the year ending 30th September, 1920.

Past Services towards Completion of Engagement (on date of Transfer, or of Relegation).	Transfers from—																	
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse & Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Malta Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Corps of Military Police.	All Arms.
On enlistment	....	....	....	....	....	....	7	3	....	14	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	24
Under 2 years	2	90	140	18	....	5	334	331	29	45	16	36	1	....	5	....	17	1,069
2 to 3 years	3	3	53	5	....	76	10	44	5	8	12	....	1	....	....	....	....	220
3 to 4 years	2	1	555	52	....	40	34	143	12	2	13	4	1	....	....	....	1	860
4 to 5 years	10	6	185	26	....	6	19	216	17	13	27	60	47	1	....	1	11	645
5 to 6 years	12	3	569	60	1	149	65	171	17	3	11	124	54	8	2	1	7	1,257
6 to 7 years	5	22	2,677	191	2	820	89	309	40	9	55	66	30	76	3	....	10	4,404
7 to 8 years	1	768	187	81	30	171	97	3,031	455	28	25	150	37	24	8	3	27	5,123
8 to 9 years	53	101	179	708	9	20	34	757	47	2	36	86	19	23	1	2	34	2,111
9 to 10 years	1	77	199	71	5	18	15	640	47	1	34	24	19	21	4	1	33	1,210
10 to 11 years	....	100	188	79	4	25	15	459	45	1	24	28	9	13	....	....	16	1,006
Over 11 years	4	80	129	89	3	6	15	555	38	....	12	22	3	9	....	....	....	965
Service not stated	....	....	....	....	....	11	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	11
Total	93	1,251	5,061	1,380	54	1,347	734	6,659	752	126	265	600	221	175	23	8	156	18,905

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TABLE 5.—AGES of WARRANT OFFICERS, NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN of the ARMY RESERVE on the 1st October, 1920.

	Under 30 Years of Age.		30 to 35 Years.		35 to 40 Years.		Over 40 Years.		Total.	
	Section B.	Section D.	Section B.	Section D.	Section B.	Section D.	Section B.	Section D.	Section B.	Section D.
Household Cavalry	156	....	38	....	4	....	....	....	198	....
Cavalry of the Line	2,760	....	1,128	....	37	....	4	....	3,929	....
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	15,107	....	1,862	....	61	....	7	....	17,037	....
Royal Garrison Artillery	2,592	....	891	....	56	....	4	....	3,543	....
Royal Malta Artillery	25	....	18	....	....	....	....	....	43	....
Royal Engineers	2,832	4	1,010	13	68	2	4	2	3,914	21
Royal Corps of Signals	1,167	11	226	36	4	4	....	....	1,397	51
Foot Guards	2,605	....	411	....	33	....	1	....	3,050	....
Infantry of the Line	15,474	89	3,679	205	214	49	31	2	19,398	345
Machine Gun Corps	1,957	....	468	....	33	....	....	....	2,458	....
Tank Corps	318	5	24	4	5	....	1	....	348	9
Labour Corps	34	1	11	....	1	....	....	....	46	1
Royal Army Service Corps	3,257	33	950	64	70	5	13	....	4,290	102
Royal Army Medical Corps	2,054	....	418	....	47	....	17	....	2,536	....
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	375	3	139	13	14	1	....	1	528	18
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	67	50	21	58	....	10	....	....	88	118
Royal Army Pay Corps	9	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	10	....
Corps of Military Police	116	....	38	....	1	....	1	....	156	....
Total	50,905	196	11,333	393	648	71	83	5	62,969	665

For Notes on the various Sections of the Army Reserve see pages 104 & 105.

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TABLE 6.—YEARS in which the Engagements will expire of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the ARMY RESERVE, serving on the 1st October, 1920.

	Men of Section B. During Periods from 1st October to 30th September.													Men of Section D. During periods from 1st October to 30th September.								
	1920–21.	1921–22.	1922–23.	1923–24.	1924–25.	1925–26.	1926–27.	1927–28.	1928–29.	1929–30.	1930–31.	After 30.9.31.	Total.	1920–21.	1921–22	1922–23.	1923–24.	2nd Engagement. 1920–21.	2nd Engagement. 1921–22.	2nd Engagement. 1922–23.	2nd Engagement. 1923–24.	Total.
Household Cavalry	28	41	34	52	2	12	14	9	1	4	....	1	198	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Cavalry of the Line	790	731	715	746	653	151	37	6	4	3	62	31	3,929	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	1,968	1,092	1,786	1,170	1,403	3,877	4,425	746	376	65	99	30	17,037	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Garrison Artillery	773	523	790	633	115	325	246	71	37	13	8	9	3,543	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Malta Artillery	8	3	12	7	11	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	43	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Engineers	488	450	527	472	506	996	401	55	7	7	5	....	3,914	1	....	1	19	....	....	....	....	21
Royal Corps of Signals	193	156	214	147	190	313	168	13	2	1	....	....	1,397	....	....	....	51	....	....	....	....	51
Foot Guards	217	199	275	314	379	618	678	165	38	19	120	28	3,050	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Infantry of the Line	3,238	2,779	2,935	3,437	2,935	1,153	1,793	520	133	120	286	69	19,398	6	4	2	330	1	....	2	345	
Machine Gun Corps	356	346	387	448	410	158	226	81	14	6	26	....	2,458	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Tank Corps	35	29	51	48	50	30	31	3	3	7	56	5	348	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....	9
Labour Corps	8	4	4	5	6	8	7	3	....	1	....	....	46	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
Royal Army Service Corps	615	369	644	381	575	806	843	19	6	10	17	5	4,290	....	....	....	102	....	....	....	....	102
Royal Army Medical Corps	124	273	248	322	283	508	768	7	....	2	....	1	2,536	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	124	98	72	83	66	67	15	2	....	1	....	....	528	....	1	....	17	....	....	....	....	18
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	11	16	24	16	9	5	2	1	....	....	4	....	88	....	....	....	118	....	....	....	....	118
Royal Army Pay Corps	2	1	2	2	1	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Corps of Military Police	20	38	36	21	11	14	9	2	....	....	4	1	156	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
All Arms	8,998	7,148	8,756	8,304	7,605	9,044	9,663	1,704	621	259	687	180	62,969	8	5	3	646	1	....	2	665	

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PART XI.—SPECIAL RESERVE.

(NOTE.—Following upon the War, the future organization of the Special Reserve is under consideration.)

TABLE 1.—STRENGTH of the SPECIAL RESERVE, BY ARMS, all Categories (exclusive of the Regular Establishment), on the 1st October in each year from 1911.

Year.	Special Reserve, Officers, all Arms.	Special Reserve (all Ranks, exclusive of Officers).														
		Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Infantry.	Army Cyclist Corps.	Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	All Arms.
1st October, 1911—																
Y	2,018	816	5,777	827	1,096	48,522	....	....	....	....	317	1,558	....	....	....	58,913
X		....	249	13	30	1,275	....	....	....	....	....	88	....	....	....	1,655
1st October, 1912—																
Y	2,130	807	5,326	843	1,016	46,423	....	....	....	....	947	1,461	....	1	....	56,824
X		....	94	10	18	614	....	....	....	....	....	39	....	....	....	775
1st October, 1913—																
Y	2,362	1,126	4,766	908	1,540	46,638	....	....	....	....	2,723	1,361	....	3	....	59,065
X		....	9	....	7	123	....	....	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	143
1st October, 1914—																
Y	2	37	34	50	23	341	....	....	....	....	44	....	....	....	....	529*
X		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	Nil

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TABLE 1—*continued.*—STRENGTH of the SPECIAL RESERVE, BY ARMS, all Categories (exclusive of the Regular Establishment), on the 1st October in each year from 1911.

Year.	Special Reserve, Officers, all Arms.	Special Reserve (all Ranks, exclusive of Officers).														
		Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Infantry.	Army Cyclist Corps.	Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	All Arms.
1st October, 1915	†	1	6	1	2	24	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	36*
1st October, 1916	†	....	3	....	....	19	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	24*
1st October, 1917	†	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	3*
1st October, 1918	†	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	3*
1st October, 1919	†	182	....	60	400	6,497	37	702	80	723	153	271	36	102	....	9,243*
1st October, 1920	†	6	....	11	21	821	....	54	5	6	16	40	2	....	....	982*

Y = Special Reserve. X = Remaining Militiamen.

*All of category (*a*); no men of categories (*b*) and (*c*) remaining.

†During the war about 30,000 officers were appointed to Special Reserve Commissions, and served in the Army. All have now been, or are being, demobilised. Of the officers who belonged to the Special Reserve before the war, 927 were serving on the 1st October, 1919, and 845 on the 1st October, 1920.

NOTE ON THE SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS AND THE SPECIAL RESERVE.

The Special Reserve of Officers consists of:—(i) Officers serving on the strength of the Special Reserve units; (ii) officers supplementary to a corps, not on the strength of a unit; (iii) Special Reserve officers supernumerary to the Territorial Force, similar to Special Reservists of Category (*b*).

The Special Reserve consists of three classes:—Category (*a*) composed of men enlisted direct for service in the Special Reserve; Category (*b*) composed of men of the Territorial Force who undertake the Special Reserve liability and are held on the strength of the Territorial Force as supernumeraries; and Category (*c*) (*v.* Army Order 110, 1912) composed of men of certain branches of the Service who, when serving, are required to perform duties similar to those performed by them in civil life. These last are subject to the same conditions of service as Regular reservists and are not called out for annual training.

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TABLE 2.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the SPECIAL RESERVE, Category (*a*) for the year ending 30th September, 1920.
[Exclusive of Officers and of the Regular Establishment.]

—	SPECIAL RESERVE, CATEGORY (*a*).														
	Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Infantry.	Army Cyclist Corps.	Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Total.
Strength, 1st October, 1919	182	....	60	400	6,497	37	702	80	723	153	271	36	102	....	9,243
INCREASE.															
Joined as recruits	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Re-enlisted	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Rejoined on demobilization	2	....	17	65	747	1	35	1	86	17	19	1	....	3	994
Rejoined from desertion or absence	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Transferred from other Units	....	....	1	....	485	....	....	....	....	4	2	....	....	....	492
Other causes	....	....	1	1	8	....	....	....	....	1	22	1	7	....	41
Total Increase	2	....	19	66	1,240	1	35	1	86	22	43	2	7	3	1,527
DECREASE.															
Died	....	....	2	3	15	....	3	....	.....	....	....	....	4	....	27
Discharged—															
On termination of engagement	149	....	43	339	5,471	9	548	72	107	69	215	20	16	1	7,059
As invalids	29	....	6	82	782	....	64	4	284	69	19	....	20	2	1,361
By purchase	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

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TABLE 2—*continued.*—INCREASE and DECREASE of the SPECIAL RESERVE, Category (*a*) for the year ending 30th September, 1920.
[Exclusive of Officers and of the Regular Establishment.]

	SPECIAL RESERVE, CATEGORY (*a*).														
	Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Infantry.	Army Cyclist Corps.	Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Total.
DECREASE—*contd.*															
Discharged—*contd.*															
Not likely to become efficient	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	1
Mis-statement as to age	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Unfitted for the duties of the corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
On conviction of felony	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
Misconduct other than felony	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	1	....	6
Miscellaneous	....	....	10	....	99	1	11	....	....	....	25	12	53	....	211
Total discharged	178	....	59	421	6,356	10	623	76	392	138	260	32	91	3	8,639
Struck off as deserters or absentees	....	....	....	....	9	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	14
Transferred to other Units	....	....	....	....	92	25	....	....	354	2	....	....	14	....	487
Joined Regular Army	....	....	7	21	334	....	52	....	56	....	14	4	....	....	488
Other causes	....	....	....	....	110	3	....	....	1	19	....	....	....	....	133
Total Decrease	178	....	68	445	6,916	38	683	76	803	159	274	36	109	3	9,788
Net increase	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Net decrease	176	....	49	379	5,676	37	648	75	717	137	231	34	102	....	8,261
Strength, 1st October, 1920	6	....	11	21	821	....	54	5	6	16	40	2	....	....	982
Re-engaged during year	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

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TABLE 3.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the SPECIAL RESERVE, Category (*a*)† during each year from 1910–11.
[Exclusive of Officers and of the Regular Establishment.]

—	SPECIAL RESERVE—CATEGORY (*a*).									
	Years ending.									
	30th Sept., 1911.	30th Sept., 1912.	30th Sept., 1913.	30th Sept., 1914.	30th Sept., 1915.	30th Sept., 1916.	30th Sept., 1917.	30th Sept., 1918.	30th Sept. 1919.	30th Sept. 1920.
Strength at beginning of year	60,254	57,908	55,519	55,606	529	36	24	3	3	9,243
INCREASE.										
Enlisted	20,616	21,391	18,454	17,840	—	—	—	—	1	—
Re-enlisted	1,271	1,873	1,168	1,191	—	—	—	—	—	—
Joined from desertion	653	672	738	893	14	—	—	—	—	—
Re-joined on demobilization....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12,440	994
Other causes	6	4	6	18	9	—	—	—	—	46
Total Increase	22,546	23,940	20,366	19,942	23	—	—	—	12,441	1,040
DECREASE.										
Died	227	205	163	175	3	1	—	—	6	27
Discharged—										
On termination of engagement	6,707	7,882	2,807	3,212	—	—	2	—	679	7,059
As invalids	1,463	1,285	1,218	1,281	76	—	—	—	1,485	1,361
By purchase	1,850	2,270	2,511	2,307	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 3—*continued.*—INCREASE and DECREASE of the SPECIAL RESERVE, Category (*a*)† during each year from 1910-11.
[Exclusive of Officers and of the Regular Establishment.]

—	SPECIAL RESERVE—CATEGORY (*a*).									
	Years ending.									
	30th Sept., 1911.	30th Sept., 1912.	30th Sept., 1913.	30th Sept., 1914.	30th Sept., 1915.	30th Sept., 1916.	30th Sept., 1917.	30th Sept., 1918.	30th Sept., 1919.	30th Sept., 1920.
DECREASE—*contd.*										
Discharged—*contd.*										
On conviction of felony	247	232	496	212	—	—	—	—	—	1
For misconduct other than felony....	292	203	355	135	—	—	—	—	1	6
Unfitted for duties of the corps	164	1	6	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mis-statement as to age on attestation	257	264	208	345	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not likely to become efficient	546	617	176	311	2	—	—	—	—	1
Miscellaneous	283	263	267	319	2	—	—	—	435	211
Total Discharged ...	11,809	13,017	8,044	8,125	80	—	2	—	2,600	8,639
Struck off as deserters	2,624	2,734	2,793	2,605	89	2	17	—	—	14
Joined Regular Army....	9,783	10,362	9,235	7,953	—	—	—	—	246	488
,, ,, ,, on mobilization	—	—	—	56,099	343	8	1	—	—	—
Joined Royal Navy or Marines	449	—*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other causes	—	11	44	62	1	1	1	—	349	133
Total Decrease....	24,892	26,329	20,279	75,019	516	12	21	—	3,201	9,301
Net Increase	—	—	87	—	—	—	—	—	9,240	—
Net Decrease	2,346	2,389	—	55,077	493	12	21	—	—	8,261
Strength at end of year	57,908	55,519	55,606	529	36	24	3	3	9,243	982
Re-engaged during year	2,368	4,785	2,486	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Special Reservists, Category (*a*), are now required to purchase their discharge before enlistment into the Royal Navy or Marines.
† *See* Footnote on page 110.

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TABLE 4.—SERVICES of the Warrant Officers, NON-COMMISSIONED Officers and Men (exclusive of the Regular Establishment) who were struck off as Deserters or Absentees from the Special Reserve, Category (*a*), during the year ending 30th September, 1920.

Service.	Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Infantry.	Army Cyclist Corps.	Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Total.
Under 1 year	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1 year and under 2 years	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2 years ,, 3 ,, ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
3 ,, ,, 4 ,, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4 ,, ,, 5 ,, ...	...	...	...	...	2	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
5 ,, and upwards	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Total struck off	...	...	...	...	9	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14
Rejoined from desertion	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

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TABLE 5.—YEARS in which the Engagements will expire of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the SPECIAL RESERVE, all Categories (exclusive of the Regular Establishment), serving on 1st October, 1920.

Arm.	1st Oct., 1920, to 30th Sept., 1921.	1st Oct., 1921, to 30th Sept., 1922.	1st Oct., 1922, to 30th Sept., 1923.	1st Oct., 1923, to 30th Sept., 1924.	1st Oct., 1924, to 30th Sept., 1925.	1st Oct., 1925, to 30th Sept., 1926.	Total.
CATEGORY (*a*).							
Cavalry	1	4	1	....	....	....	6
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Garrison Artillery	8	2	....	....	1	....	11
Royal Engineers	9	9	1	2	....	....	21
Infantry	343*	200	75	137	51	15	821
Army Cyclist Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Machine Gun Corps	27	19	7	1	....	....	54
Tank Corps	....	2	....	2	1	....	5
Labour Corps	....	2	3	....	1	....	6
Royal Army Service Corps	7	5	2	2	....	....	16
Royal Army Medical Corps	40	....	....	....	....	....	40
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	2	....	....	....	....	....	2
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Army Pay Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total Category (*a*)	437	243	89	144	54	15	982

NOTE.—No men of Categories (*b*) and (*c*) were serving on the 1st October, 1920. (See Footnote on page 110.)

* Includes 3 men who re-engaged before the 1st October, 1920, for a further period, but are here shown as on their old engagement, which had not then expired.

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TABLE 6.—AGES of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the SPECIAL RESERVE, all Categories (exclusive of the Regular Establishment), on 1st October, 1920.

Age.	Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Infantry.	Army Cyclist Corps.	Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Total.
Category (*a*) :—															
Under 17 years of age	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17 years and under 18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18 ,, ,, 19	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
19 ,, ,, 20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20 ,, ,, 21	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	4
21 ,, ,, 22	1	...	1	...	5	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	8
22 ,, ,, 23	2	...	...	1	39	...	...	...	...	1	4	...	...	...	47
23 ,, ,, 24	...	...	...	1	103	...	8	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	118
24 ,, ,, 25	...	...	3	5	175	...	21	...	1	3	6	...	...	...	214
25 ,, ,, 26	...	...	1	3	114	...	8	1	2	2	11	...	...	...	142
26 ,, ,, 27	...	...	...	1	82	...	4	...	...	2	7	1	...	...	97
27 ,, ,, 28	...	...	2	2	67	...	4	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	78
28 ,, ,, 29	...	...	...	2	59	...	2	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	66
29 ,, ,, 30	...	...	...	1	38	...	2	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	44
30 ,, ,, 35	...	...	4	2	89	...	3	3	1	3	2	1	...	...	108
35 ,, ,, 40	...	...	...	2	36	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40
40 years and upwards	...	...	...	1	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
Total	6	....	11	21	821	...	54	5	6	16	40	2	....	....	982

NOTE.—No men of Categories (*b*) and (*c*) were serving on the 1st October, 1920. (See Footnote on page 110.)

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TABLE 7.—AGES of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the SPECIAL RESERVE, Category (*a*) (exclusive of the Regular Establishment), on the 1st October in each of the years 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1920.

Age.	SPECIAL RESERVE, CATEGORY (*a*).									
	1911 (1st Oct.)	1912 (1st Oct.)	1913 (1st Oct.)	* 1914 (1st Oct.)	* 1915 (1st Oct.)	* 1916 (1st Oct.)	* 1917 (1st Oct.)	* 1918 (1st Oct.)	* 1919 (1st Oct.)	1920 (1st Oct.)
Under 17 years of age	1	....	4	....	...	....	....	....	....	....
17 and under 18....	3,629	3,566	2,858	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
18 ,, ,, 19....	7,144	7,424	6,794	....	...	....	....	....	....	1
19 ,, ,, 20....	6,208	6,770	6,914	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
20 ,, ,, 21....	5,923	5,524	5,942	....	....	....	....	....	....	4
21 ,, ,, 22....	5,373	5,380	4,972	....	....	....	....	....	....	8
22 ,, ,, 23....	4,253	4,918	4,879	....	....	....	....	....	....	47
23 ,, ,, 24....	3,229	3,659	4,215	....	...	....	....	....	....	118
24 ,, ,, 25....	2,304	2,403	2,792	....	....	....	....	....	....	214
25 ,, ,, 26....	2,033	1,813	1,920	....	....	....	....	....	....	142
26 ,, ,, 27....	2,062	1,581	1,562	....	....	....	....	....	....	97
27 ,, ,, 28....	1,810	1,427	1,393	....	....	....	....	....	....	78
28 ,, ,, 29....	1,414	1,214	1,306	....	....	....	....	....	....	66
29 ,, ,, 30....	1,386	1,103	1,136	....	....	....	....	....	....	44
30 ,, ,, 35....	5,579	4,837	4,711	....	....	....	....	....	....	108
35 ,, ,, 40....	3,543	3,284	3,528	....	....	....	....	....	....	40
40 years and over	2,017	616	680	....	....	....	....	....	....	15
Total Strength	57,908	55,519	55,606	529	36	24	3	3	9,243	982

* Details of ages for the years 1914 to 1919 inclusive, are not available.

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TABLE 8.—NATIONALITIES of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the SPECIAL RESERVE, Category (*a*) (exclusive of the Regular Establishment), on 1st October, 1920.

Arm.	Born in England.	Born in Wales.	Born in Scotland.	Born in Ireland.	Born in India or the Colonies.	British Subjects born in Foreign Countries.	Total.
Cavalry	1	....	....	5	....	....	6
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Garrison Artillery	2	....	....	9	....	....	11
Royal Engineers	11	3	3	4	....	....	21
Infantry	458	22	86	255	....	....	821
Army Cyclist Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Machine Gun Corps	30	3	4	17	....	....	54
Tank Corps	3	....	1	1	....	....	5
Labour Corps	3	....	1	2	....	....	6
Royal Army Service Corps	7	2	4	3	....	....	16
Royal Army Medical Corps	29	....	....	10	....	1	40
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	2	....	....	....	....	....	2
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Army Pay Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total	546	30	99	306	....	1	982

TABLE 9.—RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the SPECIAL RESERVE, Category (*a*) (exclusive of the Regular Establishment), on 1st October, 1920.

Arm.	Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Baptists or Congregationalists.	Other Protestants not included in the foregoing.	Roman Catholics.	Jews.	Total.
Cavalry	....	....	....	....	5	1	....	6
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Garrison Artillery	3	1	....	....	....	7	....	11
Royal Engineers	11	2	2	....	....	6	....	21
Infantry	382	86	19	7	7	317	3	821
Army Cyclist Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Machine Gun Corps	26	8	2	1	....	17	....	54
Tank Corps	4	....	....	....	....	1	....	5
Labour Corps	3	1	....	....	....	2	....	6
Royal Army Service Corps	7	2	1	1	....	5	....	16
Royal Army Medical Corps	21	2	....	2	....	15	....	40
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	....	....	1	....	....	1	....	2
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Army Pay Corps	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total	457	102	25	11	12	372	3	982

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TABLE 10.—PAST SERVICES* of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the SPECIAL RESERVE, Category (*a*) (excluding the Regular Establishment), on 1st October, 1920.

Service.	Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Infantry.	Army Cyclist Corps.	Machine Gun Corps.	Tank Corps.	Labour Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Veterinary Corps.	Royal Army Pay Corps.	Total.
Under 1 year	....	....	....	....	18	....	27	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	46
1 year and under 2 years	....	....	1	....	57	....	19	4	1	....	....	....	....	....	82
2 years ,, 3 ,, ...	....	....	....	2	123	....	7	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	134
3 ,, ,, 4 ,, ...	1	....	....	2	84	....	1	....	3	2	....	....	....	....	93
4 ,, ,, 5 ,, ...	4	....	2	5	184	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	200
5 ,, ,, 6 ,, ...	1	....	8	12	329	....	....	....	2	7	40	2	....	....	401
6 ,, ,, 7 ,, ...	....	....	....	....	17	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	17
7 ,, ,, 8 ,, ...	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2
8 ,, ,, 9 ,, ...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
9 ,, ,, 10 ,, ...	....	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4
10 ,, ,, 11 ,, ...	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2
11 ,, ,, 12 ,, ...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
12 ,, ,, 13 ,, ...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
13 ,, ,, 14 ,, ...	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
14 ,, and over	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total	6	....	11	21	821	....	54	5	6	16	40	2	....	....	982

* In the Militia or Special Reserve.

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Table 1.—Establishment and Strength of the Territorial 1st October, 1920, and the

Arm.	†Establishment.				Strength on 1st Oct., 1920.		Attended Camp. (Permanent Staff excluded.)							
	Permanent Staff.		Territorial.		Territorial.		Less than 8 days.		8 days and less than 15 days.		15 days and over.		Total.	
	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.
Divisional Head-Quarters	42	14	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Yeomanry and Scouts	30	86	574	7,262	358	1,919	4	....	19	330	....	....	23	330
Royal Horse Art.	1	9	26	540	9	134	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Field Art.— Divisional Troops	70	378	1,092	21,014	603	10,423	4	3	60	1,021	135	3,550	199	4,574
Army Troops	12	84	238	4,516	71	211	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total R.H. and R.F. Art.	83	471	1,356	26,070	683	10,768	4	3	60	1,021	135	3,550	199	4,574
Royal Garrison Art., Pack Art. Bdes.	1	9	22	516	11	268	2	....	3	22	5	183	10	205
Med. Art. Bdes.....	9	81	234	4,293	100	1,320	1	....	11	39	17	690	29	729
Coast Defence	....	....	....	....	197	962	3	....	11	37	37	498	51	535
Total R.G.A.	....	....	....	....	308	2,550	6	....	25	98	59	1,371	90	1,469
Royal Engineers— Divl. Troops	....	....	....	....	153	1,759	1	....	10	27	36	622	47	649
Army Troops	....	....	....	....	10	44	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Coast Defence	4	32	151	2,311	59	573	1	....	5	30	11	268	17	298
Total R.E.	....	....	....	....	222	2,376	2	....	15	57	47	890	64	947
Royal Corps of Signals— Divl. Troops	15	59	291	5,379	72	497	....	1	1	4	6	64	7	69
Army Troops	....	12	85	2,160	14	172	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Coast Defence	....	20	20	455	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total Royal Corps of Signals	15	91	396	7,994	86	669	....	1	1	4	6	64	7	69

† Some establishments are still under consideration.

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TORIAL FORCE.

Force (as reconstituted in February, 1920) by Arms, on Numbers who attended Camp.

Absent from Camp. (Per. Staff excluded.)				Total Strength on last day of training.		Horses, Guns, &c.								
With leave.		Without leave.				Less than 8 days.			8 days and less than 15 days.			15 days and over.		
Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Horses.	Guns.	Wagons & carts.	Horses.	Guns.	Wagons & carts.	Horses.	Guns.	Wagons & carts.
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
9	46	....	4	32	380	2	....	....	201	3	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
37	479	....	87	236	5,140	12	....	3	331	10	12	820	60	99
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
37	479	....	87	236	5,140	12	....	3	331	10	12	820	60	99
1	11	....	....	11	216	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....
6	21	....	2	35	752	....	....	....	....	....	....	133	5	8
38	49	....	4	89	588	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
45	81	....	6	135	1,556	....	....	....	....	....	....	133	7	8
10	112	....	3	57	764	4	....	1	4	....	2	78	....	15
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
19	82	....	....	36	380	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
29	194	....	3	93	1,144	4	....	1	4	....	2	78	....	15
5	1	....	....	12	70	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
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5	1	....	....	12	70	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

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TABLE 1 (*continued*).—ESTABLISHMENT AND STRENGTH OF THE TERRITORIAL 1920, AND THE NUMBERS

Arm.	†Establishment.				Strength on 1st Oct., 1920.		Attended Camp. (Permanent Staff excluded.)							
	Permanent Staff.		Territorial.		Territorial.		Less than 8 days.		8 days and less than 15 days.		15 days and over.		Total.	
	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.
Infantry—														
Divl. Troops	252	816	4,704	114,336	2,780	31,279	29	40	214	2,194	762	16,191	1,005	18,425
Army Troops	21	95	579	13,962	204	2,389	3	....	6	146	2	19	11	165
Total Infantry	273	911	5,283	128,292	2,984	33,668	32	40	220	2,340	764	16,210	1,016	18,590
Tank Corps	5	15	70	890	22	44	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Army Service Corps	15	30	340	5,492	200	1,812	....	4	12	99	39	659	51	762
Royal Army Medical Corps—														
Divisional Troops	14	70	385	4,529	151	1,192	1	...	8	46	12	421	21	467
Army Troops—														
Casualty Clearing Stations	....	15	180	1,350	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
General Hospitals	....	....	736	2,622	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Sanitary Coys.	....	....	75	1,065	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total R.A.M.C.	14	85	1,376	9,559	152	1,192	1	....	8	46	12	421	21	467
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	....	14	57	711	3	39	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Royal Army Vet. Corps—														
Divisional Troops	....	14	129	306	4	11	....	....	....	....	1	8	1	8
Army Troops—														
Veterinary Hosps.	....	....	42	420	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Vet. Evac. Statns.	....	....	5	65	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total R.A.V.C.	....	14	176	791	5	12	....	....	....	....	1	8	1	8
Total All Arms	†	†	†	†	‡ 5,023	55,049	49	48	360	3,995	1,063	23,173	1,472	27,216

† Some Establishments are still under consideration.
‡ Excludes 628 Territorial Officers of the Officers Training Corps.

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FORCE (AS RECONSTITUTED IN FEBRUARY, 1920) BY ARMS, ON 1ST OCTOBER, WHO ATTENDED CAMP.

Absent from Camp. (Per. Staff excluded.)				Total Strength on last day of training.		Horses, Guns, &c.								
With leave.		Without leave.				Less than 8 days.			8 days and less than 15 days.			15 days and over.		
Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Officers.	O.R.	Horses.	Guns.	Wagons & carts.	Horses.	Guns.	Wagons & carts.	Horses.	Guns.	Wagons & carts.
589	1,403	4	250	1,598	20,078	24	....	6	73	....	13	352	....	137
27	130	....	....	38	295	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
616	1,533	4	250	1,636	20,373	24	....	6	73	....	13	352	....	137
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
11	31	....	1	62	794	....	....	....	....	....	....	132	....	35
24	47	....	2	45	516	6	....	....	2	....	....	23	....	9
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
24	47	....	2	45	516	6	....	....	2	....	....	23	....	9
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	1	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	1	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....
776	2,412	4	353	2,252	29,981	48	....	10	611	13	27	1,541	67	303

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Table 2.—Establishment and Strength of the Territorial Force, by Arms, all Territorial Force (as reconstituted in

Year.	Yeomanry.		Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.		Royal Garrison Artillery.		Royal Engineers.		Royal Corps of Signals.	
	Establishment.	Strength.	Establishment.	Strength.	Establishment.	Strength.	Establishment.	Strength.	Establishment.	Strength.
1911 Territorial	26,111	24,095	34,147	29,673	11,898	9,349	15,177	12,929	....	....
Perm. Staff	336	328	455	450	132	135	173	173	....	....
1912 Territorial	26,111	24,607	34,118	29,202	11,899	9,305	14,583	12,789	....	....
Perm. Staff	336	329	455	455	133	137	167	169	....	....
1913 Territorial	25,663	24,217	34,049	28,672	11,297	8,709	14,744	12,804	....	....
Perm. Staff	330	330	456	454	132	137	169	167	....	....
1920 Territorial	7,836	2,277	27,426	11,451	*....	2,858	*....	2,598	8,390	755
Perm. Staff	116	107	550	521	*....	188	*....	103	106	37

N.B.—Separate details are not available for the years 1914 to 1919, when the Territorial Force

* Some establishments are still under consideration.

† Does not include officers and other ranks serving with Divisional Headquarters, or 13 officers and

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Ranks, on the 1st October in each of the years 1911, 1912, and 1913; and of the February, 1920) on the 1st October, 1920.

Infantry.		Tank Corps.		Royal Army Service Corps.		Royal Army Medical Corps.		Royal Army Ordnance Corps.		Royal Army Veterinary Corps.		All Arms.	
Establishment.	Strength.	Establishment.	Strength.	Establishment.	Strength.	Establishment.	Strength.	Establishment.	Strength.	Establishmtnt.	Strength.	Establishment.	Strength.
201,710	167,199	....	....	8,947	7,775	15,086	13,044	....	....	212	99	313,288	264,163
1,277	1,258	....	....	79	75	118	119	....	....	....	....	2,570	2,538
202,372	165,300	....	....	8,932	7,363	15,085	12,733	....	....	198	134	313,298	261,433
1,287	1,271	....	....	82	82	118	118	....	....	....	....	2,578	2,561
202,171	151,108	....	....	8,868	7,639	15,188	12,482	....	....	420	148	312,400	245,779
1,289	1,272	....	....	83	83	118	118	....	....	7	....	2,584	2,561
133,575	36,652	960	66	5,832	2,012	10,935	1,344	768	42	967	17	*....	60,072
1,184	1,031	20	20	45	69	99	47	14	....	14	6	*....	2,129†

was mobilized and serving with the British Forces in the Field.

52 other ranks serving on the Permanent Staff of the Officers Training Corps.

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Table 3.—Increase and Decrease of the Territorial Force (as reconstituted in February 1920), from 1st February, 1920, to 30th September, 1920.

(EXCLUSIVE OF OFFICERS AND OF THE PERMANENT STAFF.)

—	Cavalry.	Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.	Royal Garrison Artillery.	Royal Engineers and Royal Corps of Signals.	Infantry.	Tank Corps.	Royal Army Service Corps.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	Royal Army Ordnance Corps.	Royal Army Vet. Corps.	Total.
Strength on 1st February, 1920	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
INCREASE—											
Recruits and Re-enlistments—											
(1) With previous service in T.F.—											
(*a*) Prior to 16.2.20	1,115	2,220	823	1,687	11,680	13	550	492	30	9	18,624
(*b*) Subsequent to 16.2.20—											
On 1 year's engagement	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
,, 2 ,, ,, ...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
,, 3 ,, ,, ...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
,, 4 ,, ,, ...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
(2) Others with previous military service prior to 16.2.20.....	123	1,855	377	237	6,303	8	378	220	22	....	9,523
(3) Others with previous military service subsequent to 16.2.20—											
(*a*) In Regular Army	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
(*b*) In Militia or Special Reserve	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	....
(4) Recruits with no previous military service	755	6,488	1,158	1,258	15,707	12	1,018	483	10	....	26,889
Total recruits and re-enlistments	1,993	10,563	2,363	3,182	33,690	33	1,946	1,195	62	9	55,036
Joined from desertion	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Transferred from other T.F. units	1	3	3	7	7	....	3	....	....	....	24
Other causes	101	96	7	5	259	3	....	....	5	....	476
Total Increase	2,095	10,662	2,373	3,194	33,956	36	1,949	1,195	67	9	55,536
DECREASE—											
Died	....	3	1	....	11	....	....	....	....	....	15
Discharged—											
On termination of engagement	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
On attaining limit of age	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	2
At own request by purchase	1	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	....	9
At own request free	2	18	....	6	24	....	6	3	....	....	59
For misconduct	1	22	....	....	30	....	....	....	....	....	53
False answer on attestation	1	2	....	....	11	....	....	1	....	....	15
Irregularly enlisted	3	10	2	6	46	....	1	8	....	....	76
Claimed as an apprentice	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Mis-statement as to age on enlistment	....	10	1	1	16	....	....	3	....	....	31
Medically unfit	1	4	....	....	24	....	....	1	....	....	30
Not likely to become an efficient soldier	....	18	....	2	10	....	....	....	....	....	30
Recruits rejected after attestation before final approval—											
For medical reasons	....	....	....	2	24	....	3	....	....	....	29
For other reasons	3	1	....	12	10	....	....	....	....	....	26
Other causes	15	2	....	3	103	....	....	....	....	....	123
Total discharged	28	87	3	32	308	....	10	16	....	....	484
Struck off as deserters or absentees	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	2
Joined Regular Army	1	139	19	15	420	....	23	7	....	....	624
Joined Special Reserve	....	1	....	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	8
Joined Royal Navy or Marines	....	3	1	....	9	....	....	....	....	....	13
Joined Royal Air Force	....	1	....	1	1	....	....	1	....	....	4
Transferred to other T.F. units	1	6	2	6	18	....	1	3	....	....	37
Other causes	....	9	....	8	12	....	....	....	....	....	29
Total Decrease	30	249	26	62	788	....	34	27	....	....	1,216
Strength on 1st October, 1920	2,065	10,413	2,347	3,132	33,168	36	1,915	1,168	67	9	54,320

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Table 4.—Increase and Decrease of the Territorial Force during each of the Years 1910–11, 1911–12 and 1912–13; and of the Territorial Force (as reconstituted in February, 1920) during the Year ending on 30th September, 1920.

(EXCLUSIVE OF OFFICERS AND OF THE PERMANENT STAFF.)

—	Years ending 30th September,				
	1910–11.	1911–12.	1912–13.	—	1919–20.
Strength at beginning of year	257,337	254,688	252,154	....	—
INCREASE—					
Recruits and Re-enlistments—					
(1) With previous service in T.F.—					
(*a*) Prior to 16.2.20	1,653	2,374	3,644	....	18,624
(*b*) Subsequent to 16.2.20—					
On 1 year's engagement	....	....	....	....	....
,, 2 ,, ,, ...	....	....	....	....	....
,, 3 ,, ,, ...	....	....	....	....	....
,, 4 ,, ,, ...	....	....	....	....	....
(2) Others with previous military service prior to 6.2.20	550	824	1,089	....	9,523
(3) Others with previous military service subsequent to 16.2.20—					
(*a*) In Regular Army	....	....	....	....	....
(*b*) In Militia or Special Reserve	....	....	....	....	....
(4) Recruits with no previous military service	39,086	57,946	67,205	....	26,889
Total recruits and re-enlistments	41,289	61,144	71,933	....	55,036
Joined from desertion	14	7	8	....	....
Reverted from Special Reserve, Category (*b*)....	173	264	200	....	....
Other causes	93	127	147	....	476
Total Increase	41,569	61,542	72,293	....	55,512
DECREASE—					
Died	591	552	472	....	15
Discharged—					
On termination of engagement	15,962	34,585	62,978	....	1
On attaining limit of age	334	234	181	....	2
At own request—					
(i) By purchase	2,278	2,452	1,320	....	9
(ii) Free	11,082	10,352	8,376	....	59
For misconduct	1,379	1,521	1,366	....	53
False answer on attestation	23	15	28	....	15
Irregularly enlisted	24	30	52	....	76
Claimed as an apprentice	4	14	4	....	....
Mis-statement as to age on enlistment	54	92	138	....	31
Medically unfit	2,405	1,772	1,526	....	30
Not likely to become an efficient soldier....	1,164	1,248	935	....	30
Recruits rejected after attestation before final approval—					
(i) For medical reasons	193	333	283	....	29
(ii) For other reasons	123	292	221	....	26
Other causes	544	685	451	....	123
Struck off as deserters or absentees	1,303	2,270	1,504	....	2
Enlisted for Special Reserve, Category (*b*)	341	230	410	....	....
Joined—					
Regular Army	3,237	3,222	3,346	....	624
Special Reserve	1,820	1,967	2,208	....	8
Royal Navy or Marines	901	1,071	1,463	....	13
Royal Air Force	....	....	....	....	4
Transferred to the Territorial Force Reserve....	157	510	359	....	....
Other causes	299	629	437	....	42
Total Decrease	44,218	64,076	88,058	....	1,192
Net—Increase	....	....	....	....	54,320
Decrease	2,649	2,534	15,765	....	....
Strength at end of year	254,688	252,154	236,389	....	54,320

N.B.—Details are not available for the years 1914 to 1919, when the Territorial Force was mobilized

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Table 5.—Years in which the engagements of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the Territorial Force will expire.

(PERMANENT STAFF EXCLUDED.)

Arm.	Year from 1st October to 30th September.				Total.
	1920-21.	1921–22.	1922–23.	1923–24.	
Yeomanry	669	....	580	816	2,065
Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery	984	....	2,319	7,110	10,413
Royal Garrison Artillery ...	609	....	583	1,155	2,347
Royal Engineers	512	....	736	1,192	2,440
Royal Corps of Signals	190	.. .	204	298	692
Infantry	7,772	7	9,887	15,502	33,168
Tank Corps	1	....	22	13	36
Royal Army Service Corps	299	....	668	948	1,915
Royal Army Medical Corps	289	....	381	498	1,168
Royal Army Ordnance Corps	50	....	6	11	67
Royal Army Veterinary Corps	5	....	4	....	9
Total	11,380	7	15,390	27,543	54,320

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Table 6.—Ages of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Of
February, 1920) on Is
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Age.	Yeomanry.		Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.		Royal Garrison Artillery.		Royal Engineers.		Royal Corps of Signals.	
	Recruits enlisted during past year with no previous Yeomanry, Volunteer, Territorial Force, Regular or Special Reserve service.	All others.	Recruits enlisted during past year with no previous Yeomanry, Volunteer, Territorial Force, Regular or Special Reserve service.	All others.	Recruits enlisted during past year with no previous Yeomanry, Volunteer, Territorial Force, Regular or Special Reserve service.	All others.	Recruits enlisted during past year with no previous Yeomanry, Volunteer, Territorial Force, Regular or Special Reserve service.	All others.	Recruits enlisted during past year with no previous Yeomanry, Volunteer, Territorial Force, Regular or Special Reserve service.	All others.
Under 17 years	9	....	115	2	38	1	29	1	6	....
17 and under 18....	68	7	659	18	121	2	113	....	38	7
18 ,, ,, 19....	391	32	3,546	126	600	42	600	17	153	....
19 ,, ,, 20....	178	40	1,612	177	260	54	290	39	75	10
20 ,, ,, 21....	80	55	320	323	45	96	56	71	12	28
21 ,, ,, 22....	36	67	68	309	9	79	8	66	....	20
22 ,, ,, 23....	18	80	49	283	4	60	4	62	1	17
23 ,, ,, 24....	7	78	24	268	1	70	4	61	1	28
24 ,, ,, 25....	10	95	19	280	3	100	2	66	1	27
25 ,, ,, 26....	6	94	10	250	2	72	5	84	....	28
26 ,, ,, 27....	8	84	11	241	1	93	3	71	3	13
27 ,, ,, 28....	7	75	6	162	3	63	3	75	....	25
28 ,, ,, 29....	3	47	8	166	2	54	1	51	....	19
29 ,, ,, 30....	4	62	6	131	....	37	2	57	....	17
30 ,, ,, 35....	24	187	20	615	....	190	12	244	....	75
35 ,, ,, 40....	22	123	16	381	....	176	4	236	....	62
40 ,, ,, 45....	2	50	11	141	....	54	1	89	....	19
45 ,, ,, 50....	3	11	....	35	....	15	....	12	....	7
50 years and upwards	....	2	....	5	....	....	....	1	....	....
Total	876	1,189	6,500	3,913	1,089	1,258	1,137	1,303	290	402
	2,065		10,413		2,347		2,440		692	

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Recruits enlisted during past year with no previous Yeomanry, Volunteer, Territorial Force, Regular or Special Reserve service.	All others.	Recruits enlisted during past year with no previous Yeomanry, Volunteer, Territorial Force, Regular or Special Reserve service.	All others.	Recruits enlisted during past year with no previous Yeomanry, Volunteer, Territorial Force, Regular or Special Reserve service.	All others.	Recruits enlisted during past year with no previous Yeomanry, Volunteer, Territorial Force, Regular or Special Reserve service.	All others.	Recruits enlisted during past year with no previous Yeomanry, Volunteer, Territorial Force, Regular or Special Reserve service.	All others.	Recruits enlisted during past year with no previous Yeomanry, Volunteer, Territorial Force, Regular or Special Reserve service.	All others.	Recruits enlisted during past year with no previous Yeomanry, Volunteer, Territorial Force, Regular or Special Reserve service.	All others.
898	50	....	....	10	....	16	....	....	....	....	....	1,121	54
2,038	182	....	....	82	....	90	3	1	....	....	....	3,210	219
6,968	786	15	2	578	27	302	15	6	1	....	....	13,159	1,048
3,171	693	....	5	200	25	19	12	1	1	....	....	5,806	1,056
788	1,195	....	2	43	41	17	27	1	....	....	1	1,362	1,839
255	1,300	....	....	9	46	5	16	1	2	....	....	391	1,905
147	1,086	....	....	4	42	3	24	....	4	....	1	230	1,659
77	1,076	...	2	4	51	....	31	1	1	....	....	119	1,666
93	1,114	....	1	4	79	1	42	....	4	....	1	133	1,809
65	1,022	....	2	2	77	2	44	....	1	....	....	92	1,674
65	863	....	1	3	68	1	48	....	3	....	....	95	1,485
51	788	....	1	....	42	1	44	....	1	....	....	71	1,276
46	684	....	1	4	30	1	54	....	3	....	....	65	1,109
53	984	....	....	3	41	....	38	....	3	....	1	68	1,371
170	2,833	....	2	4	196	5	133	....	4	....	..	235	4,479
163	2,125	....	2	14	129	3	124	1	8	....	3	223	3,369
72	900	....	....	4	41	....	38	....	15	....	2	90	1,349
29	297	....	....	....	9	....	9	....	4	....	....	32	399
....	41	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	52
15,149	18,019	15	21	968	947	466	702	12	55	....	9	26,502	27,818
33,168		36		1,915		1,168		67		9		54,320	

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